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TUESDAY NIGHT'S GALE

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THE STORM IN THE CITY.

The Rising of the Tide—Cellars Submerged—Houses Injured—The Grand Central Depot.

The great storm of Tuesday night caused considerable damage in this City and vicinity. The tide rose in both rivers and flooded the cellars. In some of them on the East River the water was nearly a foot deep. Several liquor-dealers at the corners of Fulton Market lost heavily. A sewer had to be dug at the south-west corner of the market to carry off a pool of water about eighteen inches deep, that had collected in a store at that point. The sewer was not a success, however, and bailing had to be resorted to. Business in this place (a liquor-saloon) was suspended during the day. Cellars on the North River side were submerged, but no losses were sustained. Pier No. 54 East River, and the adjoining bulk-head received serious damages, the rip-rap stone and earth being washed out from under it, causing it to sink considerably, and precipitating a pile of brick into the water. At Bellevue Hospital a quantity of drift-wood washed up by the waves on the hospital grounds.

The roof was lifted up from a new four-story brick house at No. 329 Water-street, and thrown inside the building, breaking down an upper floor. A few chimneys were blown down in other places near the river, but no serious damage was done by their falling. At the Grand Central Depot several iron columns of a building in process of construction for a car-house were blown down and shattered. All over the City householders were complaining of damage to their houses by the unhinging of shutters, and destruction of frail structures in yards.

The Storm in New-Jersey.

An unusual number of trees were blown down and lamps broken by the storm on Tuesday night, and in some parts of Jersey City for a number of blocks no lights whatever were to be seen. The road from Hoboken to Jersey City was entirely flooded, and travel was rendered almost impossible. Some accidents and losses of considerable importance were occasioned. On Grand-street, Jersey City, a large double sewer, now constructing, was for several blocks entirely flooded, the walls washed in, and heavy damage sustained.

A deft sloop drifted into the basin of the Morris Canal at Jersey City and sank. The canal banks, which were very solid, were greatly damaged, and it is estimated that $10,000 will not cover the loss to the Company, outside of the interference with traffic, which at the close of the season is especially damaging.

In the South Cove, where a number of yachts are always anchored, some of the vessels were capsized, and the *Crew*—was sunk. The boat-house of the Hudson Rowing Association broke loose and drifted out toward the cribwork, where it was secured with difficulty. Several row-boats were sunk. Two houses on Grand-street and Railroad-avenue were damaged to the extent of $300 by the blowing off of the tin roofs. The eastern wall of the Methodist Church at Belmont and Bergen avenues was blown out, and the building damaged to the extent of $2,500. At many points along the river the excessively high tide overflowed the streets and caused considerable damage. The heaviest single loss was that suffered by the North Hudson County Railway by the complete destruction of their depot at Union Hill and a number of cars which were there included in the wreck. The building was a large frame structure, and fell about 2 o'clock in the morning with a terrific crash. Most of the cars belonging to the Company were in the building at the time, and six of them were completely demolished, while others will need costly repairs before they can be of use. So greatly was the running stock damaged that they could not yesterday be ensured enough cars to accommodate their passengers, and hundreds of persons were obliged to walk to the Hoboken Ferries. The Superintendent of the Company estimates their loss at not less than $20,000, not including the loss necessarily attending their inability to carry their usual number of passengers. Two three-story buildings at Greenville, belonging to M. D. VREELAND, were demolished, causing a loss of about $4,000. A dance-house, in course of erection at West Hoboken, was blown down—loss, $250. A newly-erected hotel, on Danforthe-avenue, Bergen, was blown entirely down. It belonged to a New-York gentleman, and cost $15,000, the greater part of which is a complete loss.

At Long Branch the roof and one of the balconies of the United States Hotel, fronting on the Ocean Drive, and owned by SAMUEL LAIRD, were blown off, and the building deluged by the storm. The loss will not be short probably of $10,000. The ocean embankment in many places was washed away for a considerable distance, and in front of the Mansion House the embankment was so washed away as to cause the drive, though it had been strengthened and was thought capable of resisting any Winter storm. The railroad track at Seabright is considerably damaged.

In Newark the flag-staff at Military Park, which was 160 feet high, was blown down and broken into ten hundred pieces. A new brick factory being erected on Summit-street was considerably damaged. A new building at Warwick and Jefferson streets, was injured to the extent of $1,000, and three frame houses being erected by the same person, a Mr. HUNT, in the Twelfth Ward, were entirely wrecked, causing an additional loss of probably $2,000.

In Madison a new building opposite the depot, which was to have been the largest and one of the finest in the place, was blown to the ground.

A Paterson the wood-work covering the spire of St. John, the Baptist Roman Catholic Church, was blown off and crashed through the roof, doing damage which cannot be repaired for less than $500.

In Irvington the chimney of a house owned by a Mr. CRAWFORD was blown through the roof and fell through two floors into the cellar.

The front wall of MUNSELL & THOMPSON'S stone-factory, on Franklin-street, Elizabeth, was blown out. A two-story building on Elizabeth-avenue, and a new store at Elizabethport, were damaged to the amount of $3,500. Twenty thousand bricks and seventy-five tons of moulding-sand on the dock at Elizabethport were washed into the bay. Along the entire line of the New-Jersey Railroad telegraph poles were blown down, and trains had to be run with great care. At Elizabethport the horse-cars were unable to make their usual trips, because of trees which were blown across their track.

At Rahway the storehouse at BREWSTER'S dock took fire from the slaking of a large quantity of lime in storage, and the building was damaged to the extent of $1,500 by fire.

At Freehold the handsome Presbyterian Church on Main-street, which was built of stone and had already cost $50,000, was damaged to the extent of nearly half that amount. It was unfinished, and entirely open to the storm. The walls will have to be entirely relaid.

The Storm on Staten Island.

The storm on Staten Island last Tuesday night was one of the severest that has visited the island for years.

The lime building of Mr. BODINE, at Port Richmond, was destroyed by fire, caused by the tide rising and slacking the lime and firing the woodwork; the loss is estimated at about $500. A magnificent new mansion, just completed for a Mrs. MILLER, at Factoryville, was blown down; loss estimated at $1,060.

The ferry-boats were unable to make their regular landings, and were obliged occasionally to pass stations where anxious passengers were desirous of going ashore. Several accidents occurred. In Tottenville one small shanty was completely destroyed. At Clifton the roads were deluged, and yesterday morning the children attached to St. Mary's School, on New-York-avenue, were obliged to get into their school-room by means of impromptu rafts. The flood around the house became so great that school was adjourned. In this vicinity several trees were torn up.

Stapleton suffered from the storm. The yacht *Dunderberg* of the Stapleton Yacht Club, had her keel stove in and immediately sunk. She was owned by Commodore TUNAN. Several small boats were also sunk, with a large barge containing 400 tons of coal, lying alongside of the *Wabash*. A good-sized sloop was run ashore, but afterward got off. One of the breweries had its chimney blown away.

In the Quarantine grounds, a kitchen attached to one of the buildings was completely hoisted by the waves, and the dock was badly damaged.

New-Brighton lost some of her oldest willows. The old war steamer *Albany*, now preparing for an hospital-ship, was dragged from her moorings to the Light-house Department dock, but got off without much damage.

Railroad Accident on Long Island.

On Tuesday night WM. PLIMPTON, a brakeman on the down freight train, which arrives in Hunter's Point at 10½, was blown from the train, near Dutch Kills, and run over by the passenger train, which followed fifteen minutes later. It is supposed that he was stunned in falling and unable to get off the track in time to save his life. The head was entirely severed from the body and found a number of rods from the trunk, which was mangled in a frightful manner. The legs and arms were scattered along the track by the trains passing over the spot after he was missed before his body was found. PLIMPTON was a single man, residing at College Point, and was twenty years of age.

EFFECT ELSEWHERE.

High Tides in New-England—Travel on the Eastern Railroad Interrupted—Destruction in the Interior.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 15.—The storm has been very severe here, blowing down chimneys, signs, &c. The wharves have been submerged and somewhat damaged.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Nov. 15.—The storm has raged here very heavily all day, with the wind mainly from the east and south-east. The tide has been the highest for many years, and much damage has been done to wharves at the South End. A large fleet of coasters are ashored in the lower harbor, of which one schooner, name unknown, was driven ashore but was towed off by the United States steamer *Speedwell*. The brig *Alston*, Capt. COOMBS, from Boston for Bangor, is ashore on Marvin's Island, close to the city. The Eastern Railroad track on Hampton marshes, was submerged, some small bridges were washed out, and it was feared the track was undermined, so that no trains have passed either way since noon, and travel and mails between Boston and Portland are interrupted.

BOSTON, Nov. 15.—The ship *Amity*, of Boston, which left Boston on Monday, for Savannah, was caught in the gale today off Marblehead, and, anchoring in the channel below that port, she commenced to drag her anchor, when the masts were cut away to prevent her going ashore. No other damage was sustained. The steamer *Charles Pearson* will tow her to Boston for repairs. The strong easterly gale has produced unusually high water in the harbor, and some of the basements and cellars in the vicinity of the wharves are flooded. The high tide on Chelsea Beach and the vicinity temporarily interrupted the passage of the trains on the Eastern Railroad track.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 15.—The rain and wind are of great violence in this vicinity. At West Lebanon this morning, a passenger-car house, 100 feet long and 30 feet wide, was blown from its foundation.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 15.—A severe gale passed over here this morning. Fences, chimneys and some buildings were blown down.

RIVERHEAD, Long Island, Nov. 15.—The brig *Caroline Gray*, of Rockland, Me., Capt. THORNDIKE, from New-Orleans, is ashore at Moriches. She has a cargo of cotton. She lies in a good position and may be got off.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Nov. 15.—The water in the Hudson was very high today, and nearly all the piers were submerged. The storm last night was the severest felt for years past.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 15.—We had a heavy north-east gale here last night, which did considerable damage to shipping in this harbor. Several vessels broke from their fastenings, and were driven together and against the docks, and were materially damaged. The scow *H. G. Williams*, in trying to make this port, struck the pier and foundered in the river. The cook and one sailor were drowned.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 14.—The heavy south-east gale on Monday night and Tuesday morning prevented the movement of shipping. No serious damage has been done at this point. There were no arrivals or departures.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis, Probabilities and Cautions.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16—1 A. M.—The area of lowest pressure has moved since Tuesday night slowly north-eastward into Central New-York, and thence rapidly eastward to the ocean. Easterly gales backing to north-west continue from Maine to Long Island Sound, with a lull at present in Eastern Massachusetts. North-westerly gales have continued during the day on the middle Atlantic coast and lower lakes, with snow on the latter. The winds are now diminished on the western part of Lake Erie, and clear weather is reported from Lake Huron and Illinois westward. Clear weather and light winds also prevail in the Southern and Gulf States. South-easterly winds, with falling barometer, are reported from the Upper Mississippi Valley, and rain in California.

PROBABILITIES.

The barometer will probably fall on Thursday, with increasing easterly winds and rising temperature north and west of Indiana; rising temperature, light winds and clear weather in the Southern and Gulf States; fresh north-westerly winds on the lower lakes, with clear and clearing weather, and north-west gales on the East Atlantic coast, diminishing in violence with the eastward progress of the area of low pressure.

WARNING SIGNALS ORDERED.

Cautionary signals continue for this morning at Cape May, New-York, New-London, Boston, Portland, Oswego, and Buffalo.

Snow Falling in Various Localities.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—From reports received at the Signal Office from Toronto, Canada, this morning and to-night, snow was falling, with very high winds blowing from the north-west. A storm of sleet was prevailing at Buffalo this morning, which has turned into a slight snow this evening. At Pittsburg, Penn., it has been snowing all day. At 5 o'clock this evening it was snowing in Cleveland, Ohio, with high north-west wind. Heavy snow, with fresh north-west wind, is reported from Rochester, N. Y. In this city, at 4½ o'clock this afternoon, the wind from the west was blowing twenty-two miles an hour, with the thermometer standing at 30°, and still falling.

Ku-klux Trial in Louisiana—Volunteer Fire Organizations to Continue in New-Orleans.

NEW-ORLEANS, Nov. 15.—The Grant Parish Ku-klux case before Commissioner WELLER was concluded this morning, and a decision rendered sending the accused before the United States District Court, though the Commissioner stated that he had grave doubts as to their guilt. An application for bail is being argued. The city Administration have rescinded the resolution authorizing the organization of a paid fire department. A contract with the Firemen's Charitable Association will probably be made at $140,000 per annum for ten years.

FISK HELD TO BAIL.

A Charge of Libel Preferred Against Him by Helen Josephine Mansfield—The Affidavits.

On Tuesday afternoon Miss HELEN JOSEPHINE MANSFIELD, accompanied by her counsel, Hon. IRA SHAFER, went to the Yorkville Police Court and applied to Justice BULTER H. BIXBY for a warrant for the arrest of Mr. JAMES FISK, Jr., on a charge of libel, based on affidavits given below. Justice BIXBY granted the warrant, and placed it in the hands of Sergt. PHILLIPS for execution. On Tuesday evening Mr. FISK heard of the warrant being issued for his arrest, and yesterday afternoon went to the Yorkville Police Court and gave himself up to Sergt. PHILLIPS. The following are the affidavits, and tell the whole story:

The City, County and State of New-York, ss.—I, HELEN JOSEPHINE MANSFIELD, being duly sworn, do depose and say that I reside at No. 357 West Twenty-third-street, in the City of New-York; that on or about the 1st November, 1871, in the City and County of New-York, JAMES FISK, Jr., did commit wilful and malicious libel upon me, by falsely and maliciously publishing of and concerning me, in an affidavit in writing, made and signed by one RICHARD E. KING, a negro waiter-boy, formerly in my employ, and now the hireling of JAMES FISK, Jr., and by circulating and causing to be circulated a false, malicious, scandalous, defamatory and libelous matter, as follows, to wit:

The principal subject of conversation between Mrs. MANSFIELD, STOKES and Mrs. WILLIAMS, who is, I believe, a cousin of Mrs. MANSFIELD, and resided with her from the time I went there until I left, was the manner in which they proposed to make money out of Mr. FISK by means of letters from him to said MANSFIELD, which she said she had, and statements by said MANSFIELD of conversations between Mr. FISK and herself, by selling the same to the newspapers, or compelling them to pay them money to prevent the same being made public; and they said that they could get a large amount of money out of Mr. FISK in that way, and among other matters said MANSFIELD said to said STOKES in my own hearing: "I have the letters, and I will give them to you and let you use them to your best advantage, and make all you can out of Mr. FISK." And I further say that each and every one of said conversations are false and untrue, and procured to be manufactured by JAMES FISK, Jr.; that I am the person referred to therein as Mrs. MANSFIELD; that it was the malicious design, purpose and intent of said FISK, in thus publishing it, to charge me with conspiring with said STOKES to blackmail or illegally extort money from said FISK: that said KING is now in the employ or hire of said FISK, who procured him for the express wicked and devilish purpose, as openly avowed by said FISK, of swearing to anything that FISK might require of him against me or said STOKES, and with the further intent of embarrassing me in the prosecution of my just claims against said FISK for fear that said affidavit of KING would be published in the Press, and to deter deponent from prosecuting and giving testimony in the suits now pending against said FISK in which would be made a complete and damaging exposure of the crimes of said FISK, JAY GOULD and their confederates, and their division of the Erie Railroad spoils with the Tammany Ring in order to secure through it protection and immunity from their misdeeds, and thus fraudulently obtain the suppression of other crimes of JAMES FISK, Jr., and JAY GOULD. (Signed,)

HELEN JOSEPHINE MANSFIELD,
Sworn to before me this 14th day of November, 1871.
B. H. BIXBY, Police Justice.

The City, County and State of New-York, ss.—MAGGIE J. WARD, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I know JAMES FISK, Jr., and have known him for several years. That said FISK repeatedly sent for me and asked me to swear to certain matters about Miss MANSFIELD and EDWARD S. STOKES, and offered me inducements so to do. I told said FISK that I would not swear to anything of the kind for the whole Erie Railroad, as it would be wholly false, wicked, and untrue, and he knew it; FISK soon afterward told me that he and Miss MANSFIELD'S negro waiter boy, RICHARD E. KING, away from his, and that KING was now making with him nearly as much a day as he had made a month at Miss MANSFIELD'S; that KING was going to make affidavits for him; that I am informed that KING left Miss MANSFIELD'S residence in an elegant carriage without asking for his month's wages, and he told me that he did not now want the month's wages due him, and would make her a present of it. * * * Shortly after this FISK read to me an affidavit signed by said KING containing many charges against Miss MANSFIELD, Mr. STOKES and Counselor Hon. IRA SHAFER, charging them with a conspiracy to blackmail said FISK, said affidavit being entirely different from the one signed by KING on the 30th day of November, 1871. FISK asked me what I thought of KING'S affidavit, and I told him, FISK, I thought it was awful, and he ought to be ashamed of himself for getting KING to make such an affidavit; FISK then told me I had better tell Miss MANSFIELD, if I were a friend of hers, to stop making affidavits or drawing papers against him, FISK, or she would get into great trouble.

(Signed,) MAGGIE J. WARD.
Sworn to before me this 14th November, 1871.
B. H. BIXBY, Police Justice.

Miss MANSFIELD was not in Court, but was represented by her counsel, IRA SHAFER. Mr. FISK seemed to look on the matter very lightly, and through his counsel waived examination. Justice BIXBY then placed him under bail in $3,000 to answer at the Special Sessions. The case caused very little excitement, as no person knew who Mr. FISK was until he had left in his elegant equipage for home. The case was quietly conducted in the clerk's room, and did not occupy more than ten minutes.

Capt. Kennedy in Trouble—Charges Preferred Against him by a Challenger at the late Election.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. OWEN O'CONNELL appeared at Police Head-quarters and preferred charges, upon affidavit, against Capt. KENNEDY, based upon the following statement:

Mr. O'CONNELL was, on election day, assigned as a challenger to the Sixth Election District of the Sixth Ward, the most notorious district in the Ward for repeating. Being an old resident of the Ward he was a great hindrance to the repeating business, as he was acquainted with most everybody, and of course it was necessary that he should be got rid of. He conducted himself in an orderly and peaceable manner, without the slightest attempt to embarrass the voting, save when a repeater made his appearance. It is stated that Capt. KENNEDY, happening into the polling-place, commenced an unprovoked assault upon O'CONNELL, using language unbecoming an officer, threatening that if O'CONNELL made any trouble he would pull him out and lock him up. O'CONNELL simply stated that he would not be intimidated in his duty, even by a Police Captain, and claimed the officer's protection in his right of challenger. A repeater started and was promptly challenged by O'CONNELL upon which the repeater struck him in the presence of the Captain, a sergeant and patrolman. The Captain instantly ordered the arrest of both, and upon reaching the Station-house the repeater was allowed to prefer a charge of assault and battery against the challenger, who, it is stated, never raised his hand. O'CONNELL was detained until the canvass was over, and on being taken to Court the case was dismissed. Persons who saw this affair corroborate Mr. O'CONNELL'S statement, and many will be willing to testify when called upon. In a few days several affidavits will be produced to show that in the Sixth and Fourth Wards indiscriminate frauds were committed, sufficient to throw out the district in the official canvass.

Homicide on a Canal-Boat—A Trifling Dispute Ends with the Loss of a Life.

Last evening a murder, attended with some unusual circumstances, occurred on board the canal-boat *A. R. Clark*, moored at Pier No. 5 East River. At about 5 o'clock JAMES MULAVNEY, thirty years of age, Captain of the canal-boat *Helen*, which was moored alongside the *Clark*, attempted to slacken the lines of the latter, in order to facilitate the movements of his own boat. WILLIAM MUNGER, Captain of the *Clark*, expostulated with MULAVNEY, and some angry words ensued. Finally MULAVNEY seized a windlass-bar, and, armed with this formidable weapon, advanced upon MUNGER. At this moment ARDEEN D. MUNGER, aged fifteen years, a son of Capt. MUNGER, came up to the rescue of his father with a revolver in his hand. MULAVNEY, seeing the weapon, sprang upon the boy and threw him to the deck, falling upon him. A struggle ensued between the two, which, however, lasted but a moment, as the pistol was discharged, and the ball entering the heart of MULAVNEY he rolled over upon the deck a corpse. It is claimed in behalf of the boy that the firing of the pistol was unintentional.

Almost at the moment of the consummation of the tragedy the Police of the First Precinct were upon the scene and secured the boy, who was taken to the New-street Police Station, where he was locked up to await an investigation by Coroner KEENAN, which will be held this morning. The remains of the murdered man were also removed to the Station-house to await the order of the Coroner. The affray caused some little excitement among the watermen of the east side, and although there is no dispute as to the manner in which the difficulty began, there is considerable discrepancy in the statements of the witnesses as to the actual shooting. It is, however, at least certain that the shot was fired after the boy had been thrown down by his victim.

Arrival of the Cunard Steam-Ship Cuba.

The steam-ship *Cuba*, which left Liverpool on Nov. 4 and Queenstown on Nov. 5, reached this port yesterday. Her advices are fresher by two days than those brought by the Inman steam-ship.

A DEATH TRAP.

Danger at the Grand Central Depot.

The Railroad Crossings Left Open and Not Properly Guarded—People Killed Every Other Day and Nothing Heard of Them—Seven Dead in Twelve Days.

Yesterday the TIMES gave an account of the collision of an express train with a loaded horse car, in Jersey City. The terrible accident with its fatal results, should be a warning to our City authorities and railroad corporations. Opportunities for similar frightful catastrophes are numerous in the vicinity of our own railroad depots. The Belt line of horse-cars crosses the Hudson River Railroad Company's tracks, corner of Tenth-avenue and Thirty-sixth-street, and extreme caution is necessary there, to prevent the horse-cars from being run into by trains suddenly issuing from the depot. The eastern division of the same line of horse-cars crosses the tracks of the New-Haven and the Harlem Railroads, in Fifty-ninth-street, and it is as much owing to chance as to the precautions adopted that just such an accident as the one of Tuesday in Jersey City has not happened in New-York.

The most fearful death-trap of this character which exists upon the island is that part of it covered with a network of railroad tracks which have their principal terminus in the new Grand Central Depot, fronting on Forty-second-street, near Lexington-avenue. One has but to stand a few minutes in Forty-fifth-street, where the cars enter and pass out of the depot, to see the peril to which life is daily put, and to wonder that more people are not wounded or killed for their temerity in attempting a crossing. This last-mentioned thoroughfare is much traveled by carts, trucks, market wagons, carriages and vehicles of all kinds, and pedestrians, passing and repassing in this now populous quarter of the City. Tracks in great number, and but a few feet apart, are laid over a space of two wide blocks. Trains, cars and single locomotives are coming in and out of the depot nearly every minute of the day, and there is a continual ringing of bells and screaming of whistles that is confusing to the senses, awakened to the possibility of danger from an unknown or unseen quarter. Vehicles singly and in strings of a half a dozen or more, and hundreds of foot passengers, men, women and children, are crossing continually during the day with no other warnings of their danger than the sudden snorting of a locomotive, ringing of a bell, or the cry of a signal man or switchman. Often the warning comes too late, and sometimes when hastily jumping out of the way of one train with its iron-wheeled death, men find themselves confronted with another locomotive tearing along at full speed. A TIMES reporter yesterday watched the scene, with the trains rapidly coming and going, and myriad of human beings scattered over the area, some at work on the different iron tracks, others briskly crossing the street, and others gazing in curiosity at the depot and buildings in process of erection. While observing the lively spectacle, the reporter saw more hair-breadth escapes in the space of a brief half hour than he has seen under a two hours' cannonade. Twice he observed a child rescued from being run over by the friendly hand of a gentleman; once an aged woman had her dress entangled in a locomotive cow-catcher; three young ladies were saved, perhaps from instant destruction, by an old signal man; one wagon came within an ace of being run into by one train, and, backing out of the way, the horses took fright and were nearly run over by another train; two other wagons—one loaded with stone and the other with mutton—narrowly escaped collision with outcoming and incoming trains, and many similar incidents were constantly occurring. Forty-ninth-street, although not so much traveled, was found to be a most dangerous crossing, and the danger was found to extend as high as Sixty-sixth-street.

There are one hundred two trains coming and going daily along this part of the island; there are no signs up to warn persons who attempt to cross, and no fences, bars or chains at any crossing, with one exception. The exception is at Forty-fifth-street. Here posts and chains have been put up for use, but on inquiry it was learned that the chains were only used at night. The principal safe-guards offered to the public beside the noise of the engines are the signalmen and switchmen, two, in number, few for the task, stand at the crossing to look out more particularly for the cars running on the road than for the public passing through the streets. Everybody living in that part of the City knows the danger that exists, and is in expectation of accidents.

Human life is sacrificed at an average of one every other day for want of proper safe-guards. Seven persons have been killed between Forty-fifth and Fifty-fourth-streets, within the last twelve days, as the reporter was informed by railroad employes. A man by the name of WARD, employed on the New-Haven Railroad, was run over on Monday last, by the 5:22 A. M. Boston express train, between Fifty-eighth-street and Fifty-ninth-street. He was taken to Bellevue Hospital, where he died. But little notice was taken of the case, nor of that of a wagon loaded with furniture, which was run into at the Fifty-first street crossing about two weeks ago. In this last case, two men in the wagon were severely injured, one of the horses had to be shot in consequence of the accident, and the furniture in the wagon was broken and destroyed. In the case of the seven deaths, not one of them was reported from the Coroner's office. A serious interference to traffic through the streets, from and inclusive of Forty-fifth-street and Fiftieth-street, is said to be the New-Haven freight-train, which blocks up those thoroughfares from 6½ o'clock to 8 o'clock every evening. Running backward and forward from the depot is a switch-locomotive, numbered seven, which carries cars and trains from one track to another. This snorting monster has killed several persons, and is nicknamed by the switchmen, "Old Danger."

One of the men who thought that bridges, or something of that sort, would have to be constructed to prevent accidents daily happening and expected, said to the TIMES reporter: "We always have to look out for them switch-locomotives running up and down every minute, and especially when 'Old Danger' is coming. He is a regular murderer."

The need of precautions in the neighborhood of the Grand Central Depot has finally awakened the attention of Dr. MORRIS, City Sanitary Inspector, who sent a report to the Board of Health, which was read yesterday, calling attention to the great danger to life from the concentration of railroads entering the depot. It was stated that during the past twelve days seven persons have been killed by the cars on these railroads through Fourth-avenue, between Forty-fifth and Fifty-fourth streets. The report recommended that the companies be required either to sink their tracks below the level of the streets, or to put gates at all the cross streets. The subject was referred to the counsel to determine whether the Board has power to enforce either of these recommendations.

The Railroad Accident in Jersey City—Nineteen Persons Seriously Injured.

More persons were injured by the accident at the Newark-avenue crossing of the New-Jersey Railroad, on Tuesday night, than was at first supposed. No less than nineteen persons were seriously injured, and though none have yet died, there are at least three whose recovery is improbable. In addition to the names previously reported, BELLA BEATTIE, living at No. 374 South Fifth-street, had one arm broken in two places, and the other out almost entirely off at the wrist. Mr. WILLIAM WILSON, living on High-street, had his back strained, and it is not likely that he will recover from its effects. JOHN KLINGER, of No. 288 South Sixth-street, received three severe wounds on the back, chest and head, from contact with the broken wood of the car. GUSSY PAINTON and AUGUST HANLEY were caught upon the cow-catcher and thrown some distance, receiving considerable injuries. The driver of the car, CHRISTOPHER HOGAN, has disappeared, and also C. M. DOE, the conductor, who was not injured, as reported. The man BIRCH, who was picked up in an insensible condition, with his limbs broken, was not, as was stated, the conductor. The passengers unite in saying that the driver made the customary stop before going on the track, and that the gate-keeper called to him to come ahead. THOMAS LANNEGAN, the gate-keeper, has not been seen since the accident, though the Police have been endeavoring to effect his arrest.

The Jersey City Board of Aldermen has passed a resolution requiring an examination as to the speed at which trains are run through the city, and the means taken to protect the crossings. This step is one of the results of the accident of Tuesday evening.

Run Over on the Weehawken Railroad.

GEORGE WARNER, a German employed at the Weehawken Oil Docks, was yesterday run over by a train on the Weehawken Railroad and fatally injured. Both feet were so nearly severed as to render amputation necessary. He was taken to St. Mary's Hospital.

Another Railroad Accident—The Engineer Killed.

A fatal railroad accident occurred on Tuesday night, near Montville, on the Boonton Branch of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad. The locomotive Lackawanna was going toward Hoboken, drawing a train of coal-cars, when the tender got off the track. The engineer, CHRISTOPHER HENDRICKSON, whistled down brakes, but before the train could be stopped the locomotive leaped the track and fell over on its side. Twelve coal-cars were wrecked, being piled upon the locomotive. The engineer could not be found for some time, but he was finally uncovered and taken out from the heap of ruins. His body was terribly crushed and mangled, and life was extinct. His body was taken to Phillipsburg. Yesterday the track was cleared, and trains were again running regularly.

OFFICIAL CANVASS.

The Vote for Secretary of State by Counties.

We have received the following reports, partly through the kindness of the clerks of the Board of Canvassers, of the official canvass of the votes for Secretary of State at the recent election. We have compared them with the vote for Governor last year:

	1871		1870	
	Scribner.	Willers.	Woodford.	Hoffman
Albany	12504	13759	11779	13849
Broome	4579	3443	5104	3898
Chemung	3602	3918	3502	4082
Chenango	5557	3943	5456	4062
Clinton	3798	3653	3791	4005
Columbia	5269	5317	5415	5668
Essex	2876	1743	3185	2414
Livingston	4299	3489	4296	3283
Oneida	11590	9820	12149	10819
Orange	7852	6090	7870	7490
Orleans	3477	2247	3607	2380
Queens	4602	5213	4403	6605
Rensselaer	9643	9836	9330	11145
St. Lawrence	8814	2876	10000	3518
Saratoga	6300	4192	6094	5188
Schenectady	2456	2241	2342	2444
Seneca	3269	2492	2616	3145
Westchester	10797	8656	8041	10361
Wyoming	3444	1961	3584	2400
Total, 19 Co's.	114728	94889	112564	106711
	94889		106711	
Rep. maj.	19839		5853	

Proceedings of the New-York City Board of Canvassers Yesterday—More Protests.

The Board of Canvassers met at 10 A. M. yesterday, and during the day canvassed the returns from several Wards. Protests were handed in from HENRY WISSER, a candidate for the office of Assistant Alderman in the Eighth District, stating that frauds had been committed in the Tenth, Thirteenth and Seventeenth Election Districts, and that his watchers had been ejected from the polling places; and from WM. MCMAHON, candidate for Assembly in the Fourth District, complaining that frauds and "ballot stuffing" had taken place in nearly every election district of the Fourth Assembly District.

Both protests were referred.

A resolution was carried rescinding a former resolution of the Board, to the effect that the Aldermanic ticket should not be canvassed until the 20th inst. This resolution further provided that the Aldermanic and Assistant Aldermanic tickets be canvassed immediately after the general Senate and Assembly ticket.

The following is the result of yesterday's canvass:

SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

Weissman, 10,027; Woltman, 7,767; Nachtman, 2,911; Sterry, 513; Meyer, 65.

EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

Tiemann, 16,812; Genet, 12,548.

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT RETURNS.

First District—Healy, 2,863; Muller, 2,462; Harding, 621. Eighth—Geib, 4,946; Nolan, 2,273; Gugel, 497. Ninth—Pell, 4,834; Bergen, 1,752; Shea, 461. Twelfth—Cooke, 2,697; Frampton, 1,090; Beck, 947; Fagan, 497. Thirteenth—Mackay, 3,449; Flannagan, 2,117; Deviling, 533. Seventeenth—Flammer, 4,375; Buck, 2,926; Murray, 1,756. Nineteenth—Fields, 2,251; Seymour, 1,441. Twenty-first—Whitbeck, 4,951; Hall, 3,798; Purdy, 130.

Westchester County Returns.

In Westchester County the total number of votes for county and State officers is as follows:

For Secretary of State, SCRIBNER, Republican, 10,797; WILLERS, Democrat, 8,656; majority for SCRIBNER, 2,141. This vote shows a complete revolution in favor of the Republican Party, as in 1870, for the election of Governor, the Democrats had a majority of 2,340, the vote being HOFFMAN, Democrat, 10,381; WOODFORD, Republican, 8,041. The Republicans at this election polled 2,756 over last year's return, and the Democrats 1,726 less—being a clear gain of 4,482 votes to the Republican Party.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Judge—Silas D. Gifford, 11,978; Wm. H. Pemberland, 7,453. District-Attorney—Daniel C. Briggs, 10,653; J. O. Dykeman, 87,764. Coroner—Charles Brenpecke, 10,891; Geo. Jenschner, 8,513. Superintendent of Poor—John Kuester, 10,908; G. K. Mott, 8,413.

For Senator—Ninth District—W. H. Robertson, Republican, 12,441; W. Cauldwell, Democrat, 7,284. Majority for Robertson, 5,157.

For Assembly—First Assembly District—Wm. W. Niles, Republican, 3,867; Henry Dater, Democrat, 2,867.

Second Assembly District—Albert Badeau, Republican, 3,943; John H. Cornell, Democrat, 2,751.

Third Assembly District—James W. Husted, Republican, 3,734; Coffin S. Brown, Democrat, 2,295.

In the town of West Farms the votes cast for Receiver of Taxes were as follows: For R. D. Hamilton, Democrat, 771; Edward Basck, Jr., Independent Democrat, 230; Daniel Mapes, 220.

In the town of Greenburg the votes cast for Receiver of Taxes were as follows; Wm. H. Garthwait, Democrat, 586; Daniel W. King, Republican, 960.

In New-Rochelle Theodore Pine, Democrat, received 380 votes and Geo. Lambden 346.

In the town of Rye John H. Smith, Democrat, received 407 votes, and Charles Lawrence, Republican, 601.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Efforts are being made to organize a Labor Reform Party in Maine.

Gov. B. GRATZ BROWN, of Missouri, is busily engaged in preparing his message. The Legislature meets Dec. 6.

The official vote of Wyoming County for Justice of Supreme Court is: LAMONT, 3,782; MARVIN, 1,561.

The official count in Clinton County gives EDMUND KINGSLAND, Jr., Republican, for Assembly, 304 majority. Last year the Democratic candidate was elected by 1,646 majority.

Gov. REED, of Florida, has ordered a special election on the 19th of December in Jackson, Calhoun, Columbia, Marion and Sumter Counties, to fill vacancies in the Legislature.

Mr. G. A. FINKELNBURG, who has been named for Republican candidate for Governor of Missouri in 1872, writes that he will not be a candidate for any office next year.

There are twenty-three colored men in the present Legislature of Georgia—six in the Senate and seventeen in the House. They are all Republicans.

The official count shows that Onondaga County gives majorities as follows: Scribner, 2,234; Hopkins, 2,430; Raines, 2,423; Barlow, 2,442; Taylor, 2,314; Barkley, 2,003; Kirkpatrick, 2,667.

Returns from eighty-nine counties in Illinois give BEVERIDGE, Republican, for Congressman at large, 15,453 majority. Thirteen counties to hear from, including Cook, will carry his majority up to about 18,000.

Rensselaer County, complete, by the official count, gives WILLERS 193 majority; BAKER, Republican, for Senator, 787 majority. The Republicans elect their County Clerk and Coroner. The Democrats elect the rest of the county officers.

A Democratic paper in New-Hampshire reports that Mr. JAMES M. LOVERING, of Exeter, has sued Hon. NATHANIEL GORDON, of the same place, for per diem services, travel and disbursements as and before the Republican Congressional Convention held at Dover last Fall, in behalf of GORDON and against ELA. Mr. GORDON failed to receive the nomination.

New-Hampshire correspondents say that it is quite generally admitted there that Gov. WESTON'S administration has not been a great success, and that there is little doubt there will be a change in March. The preliminary skirmishing of the new campaign has already begun. Mr. WESTON will, doubtless, be renominated by the Democrats. For the Republican nomination are mentioned Horton D. Walker, William C. Patten, E. A. Straw, Natt Head, Jacob H. Ela, B. J. Cole and S. W. Hale.

SHERIDAN IN CHICAGO.

His Story of What He Did at the Request of the Mayor and the Citizens During and After the Fire—The Killing of Col. Grosvenor.

A correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette* gives, in a letter written from Chicago on the 13th inst., the following as the substance of a statement made to him by Gen. SHERIDAN, at his request:

"While the fire was in progress men came to me, knowing that my previous experience had been with battles and amid confusion, and wanted that I should blow everything up. They were mad with excitement. Some of them talked as if they wanted all the buildings in the city blown up. With this, however, I have nothing at present to do. After the fire was over persons of all classes, rich and poor alike, merchants and others, pressed around me and implored me to save the balance of the city. They seemed to have made up their minds that I was the only person they could look to. The appeals were very numerous, and, as I have already said, from persons in every cond

THE BALL SEASON.

Brilliant Programme for the Winter of 1871-2.

The Halls Everywhere Engaged for Weeks Ahead—Full List of Entertainments to be Given at the Academy of Music, Irving Hall and Elsewhere.

The season of the dancing world is now open. The great political balls given every Winter in honor of Connolly, Shandley, Norton and that ilk, except in the few instances to be observed in our list, will, it is said, be abandoned. Even in the case of those announced, the ball was engaged before the defeat of the Ring at the polls, and it is a question whether they will actually take place. These political balls were a part of the machinery of the Ring to maintain and increase its power. Young men were lured by the fascinations spread for them at these monster but usually vulgar entertainments, to give their political support to men who are now known as thieves and swindlers. The main expenses of these affairs, were of course, paid out of the City Treasury, sometimes directly, and sometimes indirectly by contributions levied upon the holders of sinecures and "fat" offices. The great American Club ball will not be repeated this year, as Mr. CHARLES H. HALL, Secretary of the Club, has notified the proprietors of the Academy of Music and Irving Hall that they could dispose of their halls for the night of the 15th of January, as the Club had decided not to have any ball this Winter, although they had already hired those places. The memory of last year's extravagance is still fresh in the mind of the reader. The magnificent decorations of the Academy of Music and Irving Hall, the flowers, fountains of perfumery, the bridge over Irving-place with its carpeted walk and the monster orchestras, need only to be enumerated to be remembered. Another prominent feature was the costly uniforms of the club, with gold buttons, gold shoe buckles, and large diamonds vieing in size with those of brilliant Courts, but all eclipsed by the mammoth gem worn by "Boss" TWEED. Seldom has there been such a jam, and seldom such a mixed assemblage. It was, in fact, the reception of the King of fraud, and coming to pay Court to him were men in office and out of office, shoddy aristocracy and contract-seekers, men who wanted to make money, and men who feared to lose it. And there was as little real enjoyment in the crush, and as much hollowness as can be conceived of. While the Italian Opera Club was said to TWEED, when their balls were looked upon as *recherché* affairs, and tickets were much sought after by the best classes. The Club will need much purging before it can recover its old prestige. The Twenty-second Regiment, N. G., have engaged the grand old Academy for the night of Jan. 8, and will give one of their select and ever popular balls. The array of beauty is confidently expected. The preparations already made insure one of the most brilliant affairs of the season. The many friends of Judge DOWLING in the Sixth Ward will give a grand ball at the Academy on the 9th of January, under the name of the Dowling Coterie.

The great ball to the Grand Duke ALEXIS, the programme for which has already been fully given in the columns of the TIMES, will take place eight or ten days after his arrival, and will be of a most select and exclusive character. Tickets are fixed at the price of $10 for every gentleman and $5 for each lady under escort. Boxes in the Academy are selling at from $30 to $50 each. Public balls at the Academy of Music are usually expensive; the gentleman who escapes with paying for tickets, carriage, supper, gloves, &c., &c., money, with other et ceteras is fortunate. But few who attend the Grand Duke's ball will pay for the pleasure at a less rate than $100.

The New-York Caledonian Club, renowned for feats of athletic strength, and for auld Scotia's games, will have their ball at the Academy on the night of Jan. 11. This ball is always noted for much fun and solid enjoyment, and is of the highest respectability. The friends of Sheriff BRENNAN, rallying from the Sixth Ward, and other parts of the City, will honor their chieftain by a reception and ball at the Academy on Jan. 16.

On the 22d of January the grand ball of the Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum will take place, and will undoubtedly be one of the finest balls of the season. The best of the Roman Catholic society annually attend this ball.

The Baxter hop will take place on the night of the 25th of January. It has been for years one of the most numerously attended balls of the season, and the members of the association feel certain that it will not fall below the standard this year. It is an invitation ball, and has been invariably respectable in its company and enjoyable. The members of the old Fire Department hold their annual ball once more at the Academy this year, and propose having a large attendance. The proceeds of the ball, it will be remembered, go toward the support of the widows and orphans of the old Fire Department, who did the City good service without pay before the present system came into use.

The annual charity ball in aid of the Protestant Episcopal Orphan Asylum will be given at the Academy Feb. 1. This ball is always of a fashionable and select character, and its object recommends it at once to the charitable. Wealthy families who do not attend any other balls during the Winter, make their appearance on the night of this charity, and a large sum is annually raised by the sale of its tickets.

On the 8th of February the Marion Society will give their annual masquerade ball, to cap the climax of their Winter festivities. Very little is known about their arrangements, but it is assured that they will not be behind the successful efforts of former seasons.

On the 15th of February the Liederkranz Club's grand masquerade and fancy dress ball will come off. Many novel features will be introduced in the grand burlesque processions, from suggestions growing out of the Reform battle, the visit of the Grand Duke ALEXIS, and other prominent events. The Liederkranz never publish their programme in advance, but please their guests with a surprise. Other German clubs and singing societies have made preparations for numerous reunions.

The Beethoven Maennerchor will give a grand ball, concert and banquet at their new clubhouse in East Fifth-street on Thanksgiving eve, an entertainment of dancing, singing, &c., on Dec. 10, and a grand festival for children on Christmas Day. The German custom of dividing the fruits of the Christmas tree will be an interesting feature of this entertainment. On New-Year's eve they will give a grand concert and ball.

The Teutonia Club will give a series of dancing entertainments at the Teutonia Assembly-rooms in Third-avenue, near Fourteenth-street. The Mozart Verein, New-Yorker Maennerchor, Saengerlust, Schillerbund, Schwabischer Saengerbund, Aschenbroedel Society, Hammonia, Helvetzia Maennerchor (Swiss) and the Saengerrunde will also have their annual festivities.

There are but few novelties to be introduced in dancing or ball costumes this season. The "Boston dip," which has received some censure upon the score of indelicacy, will probably be supplanted by the "Glide Waltz," which is a modification of the "dip." The sudden dropping during the motion being less accentuated. The blue coat and brass buttons, with light colored pants, in place of the black dress suit, did not meet with general acceptance last year, and but few of such costumes have been ordered at the leading tailors for this season. Dresses with shortened trains or altogether without them, will be the style for ladies ball toilets.

There are several new halls opened or to be opened this Winter. The best appointed is Nilsson Hall, on Fifteenth-street, near Third-avenue, which will be inaugurated on the night of the Alexis ball, and Trenor's Adelphi Hall, Fifty-second-street, Broadway and Seventh-avenue. It is to be used for balls, theatricals, concerts, tableaux, &c. Nilsson Hall is a brown-stone building, with excellent accommodations for balls of a social character. The season at DE GARMO'S dancing academy, Fifth-avenue, will be a good one, and the neat little hall has been pre-engaged for many parties of a select character. The ball lists at the various dancing halls are reasonably full, with engagements made ahead. Apollo Hall is one of the largest and best appointed in the City, and has been engaged for every night for months ahead. Irving Hall is also engaged for nearly every night up to the 1st of January. For the Italian ball, Jan. 9, extensive preparations are now being made. The Private Coachmen's ball will take place on the evening of Jan. 10; the Ball, Hop and Pleasure Club, Jan. 11; Adams Express, Jan. 19; Co. I, Twelfth Regiment, Jan. 23; and the Heavy Men's, Jan. 26. The followers of E. J. SHANDLEY, JAMES DUNPHY and JOHN SCOTT also propose to give hops at Irving Hall, but it is said that the idea will be abandoned in the case of SHANDLEY. The young men of the Americus Coterie expect to have a successful hop on the 27th of November.

AT IRVING HALL.

Subjoined is a list of balls in Irving Hall in their regular order up to the 1st of January:

Nov. 16—Tecumseh Lodge, No. 487, F. and A.M.
Nov. 17—Mendelssohn Glee Club.
Nov. 18—Matinée Ball.
Nov. 19—Independent Lodge, K. of P.
Nov. 20—Montgomery Coterie.
Nov. 21—True Craftsmen's Lodge, F. and A. M.
Nov. 22—D. Kennedy Association.
Nov. 23—United Brothers' Lodge, F. and A. M.
Nov. 24—Journeymen Horseshoers' Society.
Nov. 25—Matinée Ball.
Nov. 26—Literary Cluster.
Nov. 27—Americus Coterie.
Nov. 28—Young Men's Roman Catholic Association.
Nov. 29—Longshoremen's Benevolent Association.
Nov. 30—Theatrical Mechanical Association.
Dec. 1—Hebrew Young Men's Literary and Benevolent Association.
Dec. 2—Matinée Ball.
Dec. 4—George Linder Association, Seventh Ward, (Political.)
Dec. 5—Dennis Burns Association, (Political.)
Dec. 6—Lebanon Lodge, F. & A. M.
Dec. 7—Merry Ten.
Dec. 8—Fortuna Fortbildungs Verein.
Dec. 9—Matinée Ball.
Dec. 11—John Galvin Association, (Political.)
Dec. 12—E. D. Bassford Association, (Political.)
Dec. 13—Company K, Twelfth Regiment.
Dec. 14—Knickerbocker Association.
Dec. 15—Occidental Club.
Dec. 16—Matinée Ball.
Dec. 17—J. P. Salomon Association, Seventh Ward, (Political.)
Dec. 18—Wm. Walsh Association.
Dec. 19—Albion Lodge, F. & A. M.
Dec. 20—Joseph Koch Association, (Political.)
Dec. 21—Terpsichore Social Union.
Dec. 22—John Quinlan Association, (Political.)
Dec. 23—Matinée Ball.
Dec. 24—M. R. and G. A. Coterie.
Dec. 26—Rody Brassel Association, (Political.)
Dec. 27—H. Burden Association. (Political.)
Dec. 29—Father Matthew T. A. B. Society. No. 2.
Dec. 30—Matinée Ball.

LYRIC HALL.

Lyric Hall, in Sixth-avenue, has been taken up principally this season for concerts, lectures, church fairs and amateur theatrical associations. A number of private persons have engaged the hall, and the proprietor has furnished the following list up to Dec. 2:

Nov. 18—Thalia Club.
Nov. 22—John Clancy Association.
Nov. 25—Progress Club.
Nov. 27—White Star Sociable.
Nov. 28—Young Men's Association.
Nov. 29—Empire Club.
Dec. 1—Lyric Club.

Park Lodge, F. A. M., will give a hop at TRENOR' new Adelphi Hall, Nov. 29, on Thanksgiving Eve. This hall is engaged for several nights already.

GERMANIA ROOMS.

The Germania Assembly Rooms have been engaged for nearly every night for the next three months by German societies and east side associations. The following is a list of the balls to come off here:

Nov. 16—Vertener Club.
Nov. 17—A. Bley's concert and ball.
Nov. 19—Hammonia concert and ball.
Nov. 20—Companies D and E, Fifth Regiment National Guard.
Nov. 21—T. G. Ford Association.
Nov. 22—Brewster & Co.'s employes.
Nov. 23—Caspar Club.
Nov. 25—New-York Cook Club.
Nov. 26—Allgemeinen Saengerbunde's concert and ball.
Nov. 27—Armenia Singing Society.
Nov. 28—Deutschuetzer Volks Fest.
Nov. 29—Fourth Ward Citizens' Club.
Nov. 30—Colenia concert and ball.
Dec. 3—Singing Academy.
Dec. 4—Ex-Members Company A, Fifth Regiment, National Guard.
Dec. 5—Masonic Cadet Club.
Dec. 6—Freischuetz Guard.
Dec. 7—Leader Club.
Dec. 8—Solomon's Benefit Society.
Dec. 9—Upholsterers' Union.
Dec. 10—Polyphemia concert and ball.
Dec. 11—Crystal Lodge, No. 109. I. O. O. F.
Dec. 12—Garde Lafayette Battalion.
Dec. 13—New-York Schuetzen Corps.
Dec. 14—Company A, Fifth Regiment, National Guard.
Dec. 18—William M. Force Association.
Dec. 19—Troop D, Third Regiment Cavalry.
Dec. 20—Troop F, Third Cavalry.
Dec. 24—Saengerrunde Ball.
Dec. 25—Teutonia Club.
Dec. 26—Pilgrim Lodge, No. 74.
Dec. 27—Germania F. A. M.
Dec. 28—Eastern Singing Societies.
Dec. 31—Singing Academy.
Jan. 1—Company K, Ninety-sixth Regiment, N. G.
Jan. 5—Knights of Pythias Lodge.
Jan. 6—Union Fraternal.
Jan. 7—Allgemener Saengerbunde.
Jan. 8—Troop A, First Cavalry.
Jan. 9—Porters' Association.
Jan. 10—Ninth Ward Guard.
Jan. 11—Separate Troop Artillery.
Jan. 14—Saengerrunde Ball.
Jan. 15—Troop A, First Cavalry.
Jan. 16—Ancient Order of Red Men.
Jan. 17—County Monaghan Social Club.
Jan. 18—Grocery Society.
Jan. 21—Fourth-street Free School, also concert.
Jan. 22—Mozart Verein.
Jan. 23—Haydn Choir.
Jan. 24—Munn Lodge, F. A. M.
Jan. 25—East River Butchers.
Jan. 26—Watch-case Makers.
Jan. 29—Schiller Bund, masquerade.
Jan. 31—Original Brewers' and Coopers' Benevolent Society.

AT BROOKE'S ASSEMBLY ROOMS.

The following list of some of the balls to be held here has been furnished:

Nov. 27—John Drout Association.
Nov. 29—Osseo Social Club.
Dec. 4—Gen. McCleud Association.
Dec. 5—Pastimes Club.
Dec. 6—Hamilton Association.
Dec. 11—Gouverneur Coterie.
Dec. 12—Eureka Association.
Dec. 13—Americus Union Association.
Dec. 18—Welcome Association.
Dec. 19—John J. Reilly Association.
Dec. 20—John A. O'Brien Association.
Dec. 21—Standard Lodge, I. O. G. T.
Jan. 24—Old Pole Social Club.

Balls will be given at a number of other halls and rooms in the City, but they will be principally of a minor character.

Bull and Bear Fights in California.

From the San Francisco Chronicle, Nov. 8.

Among the relics of barbarism which prevail in some portions of the State, bull and bear fighting, as a pastime, is a favorite. This is specially indulged in by the native California population, who have ancestral traditions as authority for their propriety. Recently these disgraceful exhibitions—pandering to the lowest and most depraved tastes of the communities in which they occur—have been given at San Rafael, Castroville, Monterey, San Juan South, and other places where the Spanish-American population are numerous. It is time that a stop should be put to these barbarous amusements. There is a law upon the statute-book for the prevention of cruelty to animals under which the participants in these cruel sports could be punished. If the local authorities will not interfere, the Grand Juries of the counties in which the bull-fights take place ought to act by indictment.

Hon. Charles Francis Adams.

From the Boston Advertiser, Nov. 15.

Hon. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS sailed yesterday to join his associates of the tribunal at Geneva. He bears with him the regards and respects of all his fellow-citizens. He was present at the monthly meeting of the Massachusetts Historical Society, (of which he is a Vice-President,) last week, and the members present availed themselves of the opportunity to take personal leave of him. The President (Mr. WINTHROP) gave expression to the sincere wishes of them all for his health and welfare, and to the earnest hope, entertained by them all, that his mission in the cause of peace and justice might be crowned with success, and that he might entitle himself to renewed honor and gratitude on his second return home as an Ambassador of his country. The whole society rose in attestation of their hearty concurrence in the good wishes of the President.

Frost in Charleston—Disappearance of the Yellow Fever.

From the Charleston (S. C.) News, Nov. 13.

It is agreed on all sides that the yellow fever in Charleston is on its last legs. The cool, bracing weather is killing the germs of disease, no new cases are heard of, and the whole city is growing cheerfully bright. Some leading physicians have advised their patients that they may safely come back to Charleston, and every day a large number of refugees return thankfully to their homes. During the last two days not even one death from yellow fever has been reported. The City Council have ordered a day of prayer and thanksgiving on account of the abatement of the fever.

The rapid change in the weather on Friday following day, has no doubt prepared our readers for the announcement that the first frost of the season appeared in our city yesterday morning. The most incorrigible unbelievers on the subject admitted, with blue noses, that a few degrees lower would bring the frost, but those in the upper part of the city were convinced by an actual sight of the long wished-for visitor. On the sheds and in the yard of the South Carolina Railroad freight depot a good frost was visible at an early hour Sunday morning, and men from up the road report it thicker and heavier at a distance from the city. Heavy frosts are reported in Chester and Columbia, and several "reliable witnesses," according to a Savannah journal, vouch that their city was visited by a frost on Friday night. These reports are not unexpected, as any close observer of the thermometer for the past three days will admit. On Thursday night, or rather Friday morning, the minimum point to which the thermometer fell was 63°. On Saturday, it touched 47°, and on Sunday, 46°. The highest point reached by the quicksilver at Dr. BLACKMAN'S store on those days were (at 2 o'clock P. M.) Friday 73°, Saturday 62°, and Sunday 60°. The difference between the temperature on Friday and Saturday averaged 10°, and this sudden fall shows how quickly the cold is coming when it is ready. As cold as it was on Saturday night at 10 o'clock, the thermometer was 3° lower last night at the same hour, with every prospect of reaching a much lower point this morning than any it has hitherto touched. A good frost is in store for this morning. The people are prepared for the worst. Let it come.

PRINCE BONAPARTE.

The Ex-Emperor's Cousin on the State of France.

The *Ordre* publishes a long letter addressed by Prince NAPOLEON to his late constituents at Ajaccio, explaining his reasons for resigning his seat in the Council General. In this letter, which is dated Bastia, Oct. 28, the Prince, after denouncing the measures of intimidation practiced by the Government against him, refers to the unsettled condition of affairs in France, and expresses his conviction that an appeal to the people can alone dispose of the present crisis:

DEFINITIVE GOVERNMENTS.

There are but two possible bases for a definitive Government—divine right and popular right. The right divine has its origin in conquest, now lost in the haze of time, sanctioned by many centuries of power, but broken down by our successive revolutions in the last eighty years. I will not discuss that right, because to all impartial men it possesses the worst of all defects—that of being impossible, rejected as it is by the nation. I will not distinguish between the different branches of the BOURBON family in order to oppose one against another; I will not recall the internal usurpations of that family. I know not whether we have a right to look for several pretenders among the members of the House of BOURBON. I will not think so ill of them, but I prefer to admit that, having profited by the lessons of history and misfortune, they are as united and compact as honesty requires they should be. As for the NAPOLEONS, need I once more declare that misfortune will only strengthen the bonds of union between them, that they form but one body, that between them there are no ambitious rivalries? Popular right. From what other source can be derived the strength and legitimacy necessary for a definitive Government if it be not from the loyal and free consent of the majority of the citizens? It is an axiom in France that all Government should be the result of the will of the majority. And if in the opinion of all thoughtful and impartial men strength at home and abroad is the first and indispensable condition of the power which is called upon to govern France, where else can we look for it? This reasoning seems to me so obvious that I shall not further dwell upon it. Discussion can only begin when the question of applying this principle by a direct act of the people is raised by its will being indirectly expressed by its representatives.

APPEALS TO THE PEOPLE.

An appeal to the people has the advantage of being consonant with our habits, it having been resorted to on many occasions; that it unquestionably bestows the greatest strength upon the Government which issues from it, and finally, that it is the living and palpable form of modern right. If I may venture to quote myself, when, under the Empire, I raised objections to a *plebiscite* as a habitual normal resource of the Government, I always intended to reserve it for extreme cases, as an anchor of safety. "To call for a *plebiscite* under exceptional circumstances—I grant it under very exceptional circumstances, when the question raised is a definite one, to which a 'Yes' or a 'No' can be given; as, for instance, a question of peace or war, and if by the greatest of misfortune we should be found, in consequence of a disastrous war, brought face to face with the necessity of a cession of territory, the responsibility for which no one would desire to incur. An appeal to the people in such a case is justified, but upon one condition—that those who are asked the question shall know what it is that is required of them. In order that they may know what it is they are called upon to decide, the question must be clear, distinct and precise." Those are the words which, with a kind of fatal foresight, I uttered on the 2d of September, 1869, a year before the war broke out. Was ever the country in a more serious position, and with a possibility of becoming worse? I do not deny the faults of which the Empire may have been guilty after the victorious *plebiscite* of 1870. History will decide upon those who are responsible, and they are evidently many.

THE PRESENT ADMINISTRATION.

The war has been unfortunate for our arms, but since the 4th of September catastrophes have accumulated, and facts exceeding all calculation have plunged us into an abyss the depths of which we do not see. The revolution in the very presence of the enemy, incapacity, absence of patriotism, and destruction of Paris—anarchy; we have suffered all these to arrive at an Assembly in which parties mutually annul each other, which has managed with great trouble to appoint a provisional form of government, the result of which is the absence of power. See, indeed, what France has to do and what this authority has done within the last few months! The reorganization of the army, postponed; trial of the guilty, adjourned; 30,000 prisoners lingering for four months at the hulks, among whom are many innocent persons—attest the delays of justice. Financial reforms postponed. The industrial and commercial situation—treaties of commerce with foreign Powers, which it is desired to modify, postponed. The question of the capital. Paris declared suspected, Versailles the political capital—as if the removal of the capital in a country impressed by traditions was a possible thing to do, despite its inconveniences and even danger. In a new country, without a history, without precedents, like the United States—yes. But in a country like ours a capital is not made by decree; it is recognized, and sometimes it is submitted to. The capital of France is Paris, and nothing can alter it. I remind me of the words of Gen. BONAPARTE to the Austrian plenipotentiaries: "Whether you do or not recognize the French Republic, it is like the sun. None but the blind can fail to see it." This question again is postponed. Finally, the essential question—that which presents itself above all others—the form of Government postponed. The country is languishing, wasting during these successive adjournments, and indefinite continuance of a provisional state of things. We have been told "let us reorganize France, we will afterward decide upon its Government." That appears to me to be madness. A Constitution—a law even voted for a monarchy—would it be suitable for a Republic? Evidently not. Is it not indispensable that the whole powers of a Government should be complete and harmonious? We should have said to us: "Depend upon a Government which shall be charged, together with the representatives of the country, with the reconstruction of our unhappy society which has been so fearfully convulsed."

A RETROSPECT.

I pursue my comparison between a Government appointed directly by the people or one indirectly by an Assembly. Convinced that the necessity of strength for the restoration of material and moral order, to reorganize France, to overcome the enormous difficulties which I have but glanced at, cannot be found in the vote of an Assembly, I refer to the history of how many Constituent Assemblies have we not had, and how long have their works lasted? Compare, on the contrary, the duration and the vitality of the only Government instituted by the votes of the people. If I may be permitted to make a personal reference, I would cite the Constituent Assembly of 1848. We were in all 900 representatives, 850 of whom voted for Gen. CAVAIGNAC, a sincere Republican, and scarcely fifty for LOUIS NAPOLEON. But when the people were consulted, the position was reversed. NAPOLEON had 4,500,000 votes, in spite of administrative influence against him. The Republican Party, then in possession of the Government, disposing of all the centralized powers of the State, insuring it, according to its traditions, agents which it did not possess, going so far as to stop the work of the Post-office in order to impose silence upon our candidate, it only obtained 1,500,000 votes. Is that conclusive? Shall I refer to the example of the great Democratic Republic of the United States? Its Constitution entrusts the election of the President to an Assembly appointed *ad hoc*. Such has been written law. Let us see what the practice is. With its practical sense, this Anglo-Saxon race does not modify its Constitution, but, in fact, it evades the difficulty, and the people do elect numerous representatives solely to elect a President, but it gives them an imperative commission defined and limited to one proper name. That is in reality a direct election of the President, appointed some months before his official proclamation, as soon as the choice of the Presidential electors by the people is ascertained.

THE PRESENT ASSEMBLY.

Of all Assemblies, is not the existing Assembly the least fitted to found a definitive Government? Has it any right to do so? A formidable question. Do not its origin and the circumstances of its election deprive it of such right? The Assembly was elected within a few days under the weight of the greatest disasters, without any consultation among the electors being possible, their votes dictated by the decrees of a Dictatorship, excluding eminent citizens who had served their country during twenty years,—decrees, indeed, which were recalled two or three days before the elections, but which confused the minds of the electors, who knew not what their rights were; decrees, the retractation of which was not even known in many places. Prefects with unlimited rights, with unrestricted and irregular credits at their disposal, presented themselves as candidates, and in many cases obtained election. A portion of France in a state of siege, and thirty Departments occupied by the enemy, such is a true picture of electoral freedom. And how well it becomes those who carried out those arrangements to exclaim against the partial abuse of the system of official candidates against which I contended in times of success, but which were but mere trifles in comparison with the elections of 1871. And above all is it not true that the chief duty intrusted to the Assembly was to ratify the peace and to vote the measures which were indispensable to its execution? Let every man, of whatever party, consult his conscience, and say whether such an Assembly ought to decree one definitive form of Government.

A PLEA FOR THE BONAPARTISTS.

Is it not singular that those who call for an appeal to the people should all be regarded as partisans of the Empire? Our wishes would be fulfilled if it were so. Thus, in the judgment of our opponents, an appeal to the people would be synonymous with a nomination of the NAPOLEONS. Do they not see that they thus condemn themselves? What should we say in private life of a person who refused beforehand the decision of the highest and most impartial tribunal, and acknowledging that his cause is lost if he is compelled to submit to its judgment? This mistrust of the popular will evinced by our adversaries, is it not their own condemnation? Is it not an obvious admission that they seek to impose their will upon France? Is it not a most flagrant attack upon universal suffrage? On the other hand, in demanding a *Plébiscite*, do we not give evidence of our respectful affirmation of the popular right? Do we not all declare that we will submit to its verdict? And under what conditions do we urge this appeal to the people? When all the administrative powers of the country are against us? when the immense machinery of Government is in the hands of those who, for a year past, have been vilifying, slandering, instilling the NAPOLEONS in the face of those odious defections which make treason and perjury a civic virtue. It is, my dear electors, I tell you frankly, because notwithstanding everything—notwithstanding our errors we feel the popular fibre which unites us with the very bowels of the country; it is that between the people and ourselves there is a connecting current—confidence in France, our beloved country. Let there be an end, then, for a time, to the talk about the pressure which we could bring to bear upon universal suffrage; we and our partisans, nearly all poor, persecuted and accused as evil-minded men who have hunned the country; such are the only means of pressure which we possess. But we bear in mind the different appeals that have been made to the people—in 1848 we were in the same position. In 1870 was not real liberty greater than at present? The state of siege existing nowhere, not a single exile, not a single political convict, instead of some hundreds of convicts and more than 30,000 prisoners awaiting trial, the Press, I will not say free, but licentious, clubs in large towns where assassination is preached to excited men, and today to establish a newspaper in Paris an authorization is required; to hold a meeting an authorization is required; to travel a passport is required? Without determining whether these measures have been rendered necessary by the misfortunes of the time, I may be allowed to point out the difference between the two periods. We hear of intrigues, of Bonapartist conspiracies. I can venture to approach all subjects because I have nothing to conceal, and my frankness finds its strength in my sincerity. There are not, and there will not be, any Bonapartist conspiracies. There are sincere patriots, men of conviction, who point out to their fellow-citizens in what they believe to consist the salvation of the country, who exercise with moderation their rights as citizens, respecting order, so as not to increase the public misfortunes. And do you know who they are who have brought over many partisans to the Napoleons? It is the House of Bourbon proving its abdication by the affirmation of the white flag, the symbol of the ancient régime; it is the extreme Radicals abusing all liberty and bringing us after an impotent and odious dictatorship to the horrors of the Commune. Doubtless we do hope to open the eyes of the people by inviting them to compare eighteen years of prosperity, calm, and glory with what has been our position since the 4th of September—commerce languishing, industry paralyzed, work-shops closed, and everything in such miserable wretched plight he remembers his time of vigor and strength. When we shall obtain an appeal to the people then the work of reparation may begin. Without disguising our misfortunes and our faults, falling back upon ourselves, deriving power to correct ourselves from the experience of recent events, let us hope in the vitality of the French people. There must be economy, laborious, incessant labor; honesty, sacrifices, heavy sacrifices; of money to meet the new taxes necessary to pay our debts, of men to reorganize our army and render it capable of recovering its traditions of glory. This statement of our present sufferings, my hope of a better future, is the one the result of a fretful spirit, or the other a confiding illusion? The future will decide. I have felt that it was my duty, in response to our sufferages, to open my whole mind to you. Yes, an appeal to the people is necessary. Exerting its imprescriptible right, the people ought to decide upon the three following questions: A republic, a monarchy under the BOURBONS, an empire of the NAPOLEONS. Thus you perceive you can reply boldly to those who accuse of intriguing that we are not pretenders to the Empire, but pretenders to an appeal to the people.

NAPOLEON (JEROME.)

SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA.

The Elections in Peru—Street Riots in Lima—Great Fire in Valparaiso—Earthquake at Iquique.

From the Panama Star and Herald.

Our Lima dates are to Oct. 22. The elections for Presidential electors occurred, as was announced, on the 15th, and although the situation is somewhat perplexing, it appears that Mr. PARDO has been successful in the places already heard from. The most profound excitement was evident in the capital on the night of the 14th; the *portales* or arcades, usually brilliant with lights and crowded with people, were dark and deserted; the people and troops were removed from their posts, as the Constitution of Peru expressly prohibits the presence of armed forces in the neighborhood of the polling-booths, nevertheless, within the spacious courtyard of the Government Palace, concealed from the public view, were stationed six pieces of artillery and three of the most efficient battalions of the line, to be in readiness for any emergency growing out of the agitated state of public feeling. In the five great squares of the city the polling-booths were erected, simply wooden platforms in the centre of which place, but the main object of the candidates' attention. The system of proceeding is somewhat peculiar, and certainly not calculated toward a perfect preservation of peace and tranquility. The party gaining possession of these tables proceeds to vote for the Committee on Elections, which in its turn receives the suffrages of the citizens for the Presidential electors. Hence it will be seen that the point of prime importance is to capture the table, in order that the Committee may be composed of men favorable to a particular cause, since any little irregularity occurring in the papers of the supporters of that party might be overlooked, while the strictest scrutiny would be observed respecting the qualifications of its opponents. Therefore the first movement on the part of each of the rival candidates was necessarily a desperate attempt to seize and hold the different tables, at least until such time as the Inspecting Committee might require for its complete organization. The only evidence of force in Lima, on that eventful night, were the policemen stationed in the high towers of the cathedral, overlooking the scene of action in the main plaza. A rumor, afterward discovered to be true, was extensively circulated to the effect that PARDO and URETA, representing the different shades of the civil ticket, had arrived at an arrangement by which it was agreed that no combat should take place between their respective supporters, but that in case of necessity their strength would be arrayed against the forces of Gen. ECHENIQUE, the military candidate. The effect of the announcement was naturally inspiriting to the combined parties, while equally discouraging to that of ECHENIQUE. Nevertheless, a desperate struggle for this preliminary supremacy was expected. The three candidates had their men well under control; at an early hour the voters were stowed up in large houses, rented for the purpose, and adjacent to the plazas, in order to be ready for the rally which was appointed to be made some time about daybreak. Here they were regaled with inflammatory speeches, the indispensable aguardiente, and when these amusements became insipid, passed the time in more fully preparing their knives and revolvers, with which they were generally well provided. About 3½ o'clock, Mr. PARDO gave orders for the concerted attack. Issuing forth in wonderful order for men unaccustomed to discipline and excited by drink, his clubs advanced steadily and quietly upon the points to be assaulted, and finding themselves the first upon the field captured the tables and proceeded to take measures for their defense. The leaders of the different sections of PARDO'S organization were in the majority retired officers of the army, some men of considerable military distinction, and the orders which were given revealed how well and carefully the plans had been studied. Detachments were thrown out to guard the approaches to each square, with instructions not to commence the attack, but to limit themselves to the repulse of any body of the enemy that might seek to regain the lost ground. In all the voting precincts, except the main one, fighting immediately commenced; fire-arms, clubs and knives were freely used, but it soon became apparent that the forces at the disposition of Gen. ECHENIQUE were in the superior in number and resolution to those supporting PARDO. The partisans of URETA discovering that their presence was not at all necessary, quietly dispersed to their homes, and the clubs of GOMEZ, SANCHEZ and SEGURA made no manifestation, overawed by the power that was brought against them. The defenders of the principal squares awaited patiently for two or three hours, without any sign of the hostile party's approach, when at length, far down the street on which the Post-office is situated, and leading to the plaza, a body of the enemy was descried, rapidly approaching, with yells and with all evidences of aggression. The column proved to be in ECHENIQUE'S interest. PARDO'S people allowed it to approach within shooting distance and quietly received the first shots, when a tremendous volley was returned, throwing the assailters into confusion, and finally compelling them to precipitately retreat. This action closed the fighting. ECHENIQUE was convinced that he was unable to cope with his rival, and limited his action to the publication of protests against the armed forces of PARDO, forgetting that in almost every instance that party stood on the defensive. Throughout Lima and Callao, where PARDO was also successful, the number of killed amounted to twelve or fifteen, and the wounded to forty. So that at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning, the two cities, though laboring under continued excitement, were peaceful as far as arms were concerned. The Pardo party stood to its post, requested and procured the requisite documents from the Government, and proceeded quietly to the selection of electors. Until Tuesday, this state of affairs lasted, when the Minister of the Interior issued an order by which the other candidates were authorized to establish their own voting-booths, even offering the Police for their defense, if necessary. This measure was loudly condemned by the partisans of PARDO, and indeed it seems extraordinary that, after officially recognized his tables as the legitimate ones, and no obstacle whatsoever being offered to the voters of any ticket by the committee elected, so secure was the victory considered, a step of this kind contradictory in the extreme should be taken. The object, however, Echenique factions that, by the establishment of so many different polling-places, a question would arise as to the legality of either, and the Lima elections would be declared null and void by Congress, the arbiter in the matter. This case occurred with regard to the election of 1868. Nevertheless, there is no question that the great majority of the people are in PARDO'S favor—the most distinguished citizens support him, and only through some ruse of this nature can his election be endangered. That is, as far as Lima and its vicinity is concerned, the Southern and Northern Departments at the date of our letters had not been heard from. Peruvian politics are as difficult to fathom as the hieroglyphics on the Sphinx itself. Although this method of conducting an election does not strike one as being particularly illustrative of the principles and practice inculcated by Republican institutions, the progress made by Peru is evident from the moment that the appeal to arms ceased on the discovery that such action was inefficient; only a few years since no such sound good sense would have been demonstrated in the streets of Lima, and moreover when the perfect tranquility of the city is considered at a time when the Police had disappeared, and men inflamed by excitement and liquor held possession of its centres. One of the most satisfactory facts elicited by the struggle is the evidence of the final fall of the Church Party, a power which in Peru, during the year 1868, evinced a degree of strength and vitality dangerous for the future welfare of the Republic. Again the decisive and formidable stand taken by the supporters of PARDO against the continuance of military rule is hailed as a good omen; among the foremost defenders of the civil ticket are found some of the most distinguished soldiers of the country, both in and out of office. Revolution is not even rumored; the people appear to be willing to await the peaceful solution of the electoral problem. The conduct of the Government is eulogized in abstaining from any participation in the contest, but much indignation is expressed at the conduct of Minister SANTA MARIA, in allowing the establishment of distinct voting places, conducting so decidedly to the further entanglement of the situation.

FIRE IN VALPARAISO.

A great fire took place at Valparaiso on the 23d of September, causing losses estimated at $400,000. The *West Coast Mail* gives the following description of it: "About 2 A. M. on the 23d inst. the fire bells gave the note of alarm, and a few minutes afterward a dense cloud of smoke was seen to issue from the Calle de la Planchada, which was soon followed by a sheet of lurid flames. A strong northerly breeze was blowing at the time, and everything appeared to indicate that the city was about to be visited by a disaster equal to that of the 13th November, 1858. The firemen turned out with praiseworthy alacrity and promptitude, and the hoses were quickly run out to the wells contiguous to the scene of danger. These, however, were speedily exhausted, and as the bay was very much agitated, owing to the northerly breeze, which continued to increase in force, some time elapsed before anything like an adequate supply of water could be obtained. In the meantime, the flames had spread from the building in which they originated—the Café Colon—to the tenements of the same block, and had, moreover, taken full possession of the two-story house adjoining, belonging to Don AUGUSTIN EDWARDS. The before-mentioned were now one raging mass of fire, and despite the efforts of the firemen, the flames speedily communicated to the house of Mr. CLAUSEN, formerly owned by the RIOBO family, and thence they spread along the side of the square as far as the new building of Señor MACAYO. The flames were also carried across the street, and finally took hold of the new building belonging to Don AUGUSTIN EDWARDS; and shortly afterward the windows of the fine building of Gen. HERRERA, on the side next the Café Colon, burst with the intense heat, and ingress having thus been afforded to perfect sheets of fire, that magnificent edifice soon became a prey to the devouring element. At this juncture the destruction of all the buildings in the Calle de la Planchada seemed inevitable, and even now the salvation of the entire street, if not the whole of the central portion of the city, appears to be little short of a miracle. Nor was the danger confined to that part of the city alone, for the wind, which had increased to a gale when the fire was at its height, carried clouds of sparks and burning *débris* to a great distance, and many houses in the Calle de la Aduana, Quebrada de San Agustin, and on the Cerros de la Cordillera and Alegre, only escaped destruction by the vigilance of their occupiers, who during several hours were unceasingly occupied in removing from the roofs and gutters the falling sparks. Hundreds of families were thus engaged for several consecutive hours, and it was near 5 A. M. before all danger had ceased."

EARTHQUAKE AT IQUIQUE.

We learn the following particulars from the Iquique *Mercurio* of the 8th of October:

"At 12:40 P. M., on the 5th instant, when the inhabitants of this port were asleep, a terrible shaking of the earth, which lasted two minutes, took place. The motion was at first vertical and afterward oscillatory. Words cannot depict the alarm, confusion and panic which prevailed during those moments. Men, women and children, some naked and others in their night gowns, rushed into the streets from their homes, terrified, calling out loudly, The sea! The sea! The sea! On hearing this cry, those living in the immediate vicinity of the shore, quitted their homes and commenced to run for their lives to the high parts of the country, not even waiting to close the doors of their houses. Many persons were assembled in the Plaza, and each succeeding comer brought news which increased the alarm; the women and children wept and prayed, the men were pale and horror-stricken. Without clothes, without shelter, and in the coldness of the dark, early morning, what could the people do? Fortunately, there came the intelligence that the sea was perfectly calm, which had the effect of allaying the fears of those who were waiting for the light of day. The people returned to their homes

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Report of the Finance Committee—Appropriations Required for 1872.

The Department of Public Instruction met at 4 P. M. yesterday, by request of the Finance Committee. President SMITH occupied the chair.

The Committee on Finance presented a report of the appropriations required for the year 1872. The report states that in 1871 the lowest amount required for that year for school purposes was $2,796,800. The Board of Apportionment, last September, ascertained that they could only appropriate to this Board, under the Two per Cent. act, $2,209,888 46, leaving a balance due this Board of $586,661 54. The following is a statement of the school fund for the year 1872:

Amount from the State for 1871		$443,247 56
Equal amount from the City and county		443,247 56
One twentieth of one per cent. on the taxable property of the City and county	$1,076,249,473	538,124 73
$10 per capita on the whole number taught during the year ending Oct. 1, 1871, as follows: In the Ward Schools	187,023	
Evening schools	21,561	
Normal College and schools	2,551	
Colored schools	2,061	
Total pupils	213,206	
At $10 per capita		$2,132,060 00
Total amount		$3,556,679 85

The following is the amount required to be raised by taxation:

For teachers in Ward schools	$1,690,000
For teachers in Normal College and schools	60,000
For teachers in evening schools	300,000
For teachers in German primary schools	105,000
Superintendents, clerks, &c	70,000
Janitors	3,000
Books, maps, &c	145,000
Stationery for Normal College	12,000
Stationery for evening schools	10,000
Stationery for colored schools	2,100
Rents of school premises	50,000
Corporate schools, apportionment by the Legislature	86,000
Fuel	88,000
Gas	20,000
Apparatus, printing, &c., for Normal College, &c	14,000
Printing and binding reports, advertising, &c	40,000
Furnishing, fitting up, altering, enlarging school buildings	251,000
Total	$2,787,100

Mr. WOOD said the Board of Apportionment had cut $586,000 from the appropriation for 1871. If, in addition to the amount now called for, $2,787,100, they did not get the arrears of $586,000, the business of the schools could not be carried on.

Mr. LEWIS said the Board of Apportionment did not object to their getting the full amount asked for, but at present they could only give $2,209,888 46.

Mr. WOOD said then apparently the Board of Apportionment did not object to giving the Department the money required, only they did not give it. The report was then adopted.

Mr. SANDS moved that the Clerk be instructed to prepare a tabular statement of the two courses of studies lately presented to the Board. It would save the members much time and trouble in comparing the various amendments. The cost of printing would be very small.

Mr. JARVIS thought it would cost $300.

Mr. SANDS' motion was lost, and the Board then adjourned.

THE CORNELL CLAIM.

Argument on the Appeal before the Supreme Court General Term—The Decision Reserved.

It will be remembered that Judge SUTHERLAND at Special Term granted a mandamus directing the Court-house Commissioners to make requisition on the Controller to pay Messrs. CORNELL the balance of their account for iron-work supplied to the new Court-house, amounting to $34,795 43, and also directing the Controller on receipt of such requisition, to issue stock to pay the said amount. From this all parties appealed—the relator because the order to the Controller was not absolute, and the Controller and the Commissioners because any order at all was granted against them. These appeals were argued together, yesterday, before the General Term of the Supreme Court. The relator claimed that a peremptory writ should have been granted against the Controller, because, it being a fully audited claim, the Controller was bound to pay it in full on its first presentation in 1869, and had not shown that he had legally exhausted the $600,000 appropriation of that year; that the allegations, specific in their character, of excessive payments of bills not properly audited, called on the Controller for a more specific answer than he had made, if he wished to show to the Court that the fund of 1870 was legally exhausted.

In reply to this, the Corporation Counsel argued that the answer of no funds by the Controller was complete and sufficient. On the appeal of the Controller, he argued, that even if any moneys of the 1870 fund were in the Treasury he could not have paid them out on this claim because that act requires the payments to be made "on vouchers approved by the Commissioners." No such voucher had been offered. He had not, therefore, refused any legal demand, and a mandamus could not issue against him as to such demand. But neither the appropriation of 1870 nor that of 1871 were applicable to the payment of liabilities incurred previous to the creation of the Commissioners. The Legislature in 1870 provided another way for the payment of past liabilities, and the relator should have applied for payment under that provision.

The Commissioners claim that the order is wrong in directing the Controller to pay the relator his bill instead of them. Under the act of 1870 he was to pay money on their vouchers, but under the act of 1871 he was to pay all moneys to the Commissioners, and he (W. were) to pay all bills. Unless the account had been submitted to and audited by them they could not be compelled to pay it. It did not matter that it had been audited by the Supervisors. The Commissioners are not the successors in office of the Board of Supervisors, but an independent creation, and, under the act of 1870, money could only be paid on "vouchers approved by them; under the act of 1871, such sum was to be paid to them as they may deem necessary; in each case implying discretion and judgment in them. They were appointed to "complete" the building, and the means given them for that purpose.

It is only the relator claims that it could not have been the intention of the Legislature not to provide for the payment of debts contracted about the same subject. The acts of 1868 and 1869 were equally for the "completion" of the new Court-house. The Controller and Commissioners had practically interpreted the law as allowing them to pay out of these appropriations past liability, and there were decisions of the Courts to that same effect. The gentleman on the interim Board alluded to by the other side did not apply to liabilities to be paid out of special appropriations.

The Court reserved its decision.

Fire at the Grand Opera-House.

The rumor which prevailed in the City yesterday that the Grand Opera-house was burned, originated from the fact of a fire occurring in the printing-office of the Erie Railway Company, in the basement of the Grand Opera-house. The fire was extinguished before any considerable damage was done.

The Reform Movement Among the Germans.

The New-York *Staats-Zeitung* is urging the immediate organization of German citizens' associations in each Assembly District for the purpose of keeping up the reform movement, and to systematize the efforts of those engaged in it. "The special object," it says, "it is hardly necessary to explain—the reorganization of our City Government. By the late election only the preliminaries of such a reorganization have been effected. The next object is, first, to procure a charter by which an honest and independent City Government is guaranteed, so far as chartered rights can furnish guarantees; second, the election of officers under the new charter, whose personal character will bring into practice the theories of the new system. The one is as important as the other. No system will ultimately avail against abuse if not applied in the right direction, and the most honest men will be unable to prevent abuse if their action is not based on the right system."

The Germans of the Twenty-first Ward—A Permanent Organization to be Formed.

The Germans were the first branch in the Democratic Party to believe the charges of fraud and corruption made by the TIMES against the leaders of Tammany Hall and the first to take public action concerning these charges by placing themselves as antagonists to the Ring power. One of the foremost men in this work was Mr. DAVID M. KOEHLER, a wealthy property-owner and brewer in the Twenty-first Ward; his labor and his money were freely distributed without stint or remuneration, and his earnest desire for reform was everywhere acknowledged and appreciated, and he became so popular that the Germans insisted upon his being President of every German Club in the Ward to push on the good work. Mr. KOEHLER was instrumental in obtaining the support of the Germans in this Ward for JAMES O'BRIEN. The newly-elected Senator was loud in his praise of Mr. KOEHLER'S indefatigability and sterling integrity, and has freely expressed his gratitude to him. The Germans, who, previous to the election, formed temporary clubs throughout this large Ward, have now united for a permanent organization, and will hold a large meeting this evening to perfect the organization. DAVID M. KOEHLER is the moving spirit in this as well as in the Clubs formed previous to the election, assisted by Dr. Shultz, Fred. Neman, L. Bernstein, Thomas Baer, Frederick Gieskner, C. H. Sonnemith, Dr. C. Netty, Christian Schwarzwalder, Fred. Shieck, Mr. Fogel and some two others. The desire is to form a permanent organization, which will join hands with other German Ward organizations in reforming the entire government of the City.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

COURT OF APPEALS.

ALBANY, Nov. 15.—The following is the Court of Appeals Day Calendar for Nov. 16: Nos. 367, 360, 379, 356, 380, 363, 386, 387.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Held by Ingraham, P. J., Barnard and Cardozo, JJ.

Nos.	Nos.
28—Wagstaff vs. Bartlett.	144—Knickerbocker Life Ins. Co. vs. Nat. Ry. of North America.
100—The People ex. rel. Parsons vs. Keller.	145—Tubbs vs. Lynch.
132—Bloomer vs. Sturgis.	146—Gardiner vs. Hazard.
134—In re Morgan vs. Morgan.	147—Kirtland vs. Schanck.
135—In re Morgan vs. Ely.	148—Barney vs. Burstenbinder.
136—In re Morgan vs. Trustee of Morgan.	149—Michel vs. Steteon, Jr.
137—In re Morgan vs. Trustee of Robbins.	150—Bacon vs. Gillman.
138—McConnell vs. Pyne.	151—Holloway vs. Stephens.
139—Barnard vs. Campbell.	152—Fenholz vs. Ross.
140—Great Western Ins. Co. vs. Traver.	153—Shortland vs. Van Nostrand.
141—White vs. McLean.	154—Same vs. Same.
142—Mullins vs. Price.	155—Sherman vs. Parish.
	156—Roberts vs. Berdell.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.

Part I.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
——Teller vs. Routh.	563—Hall et al. vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.
337—N. Y. Guaranty & Indemnity Co. vs. T. Flynn et al.	1022—Lewis vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.
211 (R. C.)—Trenton Iron Co. vs. Langdon Rolling Co.	325½ (R. C.)—Murphy et al. vs. Haswell.
199½ (R. C.)—Winch vs. Mayor, &c.; N. Y.	169—Tellman et al. vs. Brunner et al.
181 (R. C.)—Jaffrey et al vs. Liv., N. Y. & Phila. S. S. Co.	429—Conits et al vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.
109¾—Clancey vs. Byrne.	473—Lindmenyer et al. vs. N. Y. & Prov. S. S. Co.
431—Jacobs vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.	477—Home Ins. Co. vs. Manhattan Ins. Co.
147 (R. C.)—Voight vs. Gt. Western Ins. Co.	479—Marvin vs. Meyer.
13—Jahn, Adm'x, &c., vs. The Mayor, &c., of N. Y.	481—New-Hartford Manf. Co. vs. Hud. River R. R. Co.
191—Taylor vs. O'Connor et al.	483—Burger vs. Harris.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Brady, J.—Calendar called at 12 M.

Nos.	Nos.
98—Edey vs. Persch.	138—Stevens vs. Pringle.
118—In re Walker vs. Smith.	179—Meyer vs. Levy.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by McCunn, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
1645—Duncan vs. Berlin.	1235—Jenkins vs. Donan.
753—Nat. Bank of Commerce vs. Nat. Mer. Bkg. Ass'n.	1537—Young vs. Bamford.
865—Taylor vs. Perrin.	274—Philbrick vs. Dallett.
869—Smith vs. Frost.	843—Picher vs. Levy.
1211—Duncan vs. American Fertilizing Co.	237—Ross vs. Collins.
1233—Creed vs. Mut. Prot. Life Ass. Society.	1091—Duvall vs. St. James' Prot. Epis. Church.
	979—Brown vs. Liverpool & Gt. West'n S. Co.
	1151—Irvine vs. Macy.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by J. F. Daly, J.—Court opens at 11 A.M. Set-down Causes.

Nos.	Nos.
944—Archer et al. vs. Elkins et al.	1103—Burns vs. The Liverpool and Great Western Steamship Co.
1023—King vs. Wolff.	969—Carvallo vs. Buckley.
393—Blumenthal vs. Collins.	972—Same vs. Same.
906—Quinlan vs. Sixth-av. Railroad Co.	68—McCauley vs. Gans.
1047—Ottman vs. Smith.	192—Pike vs. Gershyun.
425—Freedman et al vs. Hirsch.	514—Horn vs. Clemens, Jr.
437—Geoghegan vs. Brennegan.	173—Wood vs. Metropolitan Insurance Co.
	1110—Clarin vs. Thurber.

Part II.—Held by Larremore, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
946—Honegsberger vs. Second-avenue R. R. Co.	1049—Bantell vs. Central R. R. of New-Jersey
967—Same vs. Same.	1054—Wilson vs. Olmstead.
1045—McEvoy vs. Third-avenue R. R. Co.	1062—Dudley vs. Bellamy.
1057—Reyland vs. Brewster.	314½—Duncker vs. Hartfelder.
1100—Jackson vs. Raymond.	1104—Olney vs. Cragin.
1161—Crandall vs. Rawkins.	1105—Allen vs. Moffat.
1102—Same vs. Same.	1108—Whitney vs. Denker.
	1063—Middleton vs. Andrews.
	1109—Derrickson vs. McGuire.

COMMON PLEAS—EQUITY TERM.

Held by C. P. Daly, C. J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
138—Brown vs. Herts.	136—Mickles vs. Florida Improvement Co.
147—Kennedy vs. Young.	99—Ayer vs. Rushton.
163—Endres vs. Seebald.	20—Dudley vs. The Mayor.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Joachimsen, J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
8810—Kiley vs. Brennan.	8805—Arnold vs. Ashfield.
8512—Buckholz vs. Mertling.	6923—Emmertz vs. Donnelly.
6723—Schnabel vs. Raubitschek.	7026—Llara vs. House.
6240—Ribon vs. Meyers.	7106—Noyes vs. Bates.
6634—Jones vs. Snyder Manufacturing Co.	7141—Kohn vs. Goldsmith.
6750—Hartman vs. Frohlich.	7162—Dillon vs. Darby.
	7163—Same vs. Same.
	7164—Same vs. Same.
	7726—Craft vs. Duffy.

Part II.—Held by Gross, J.

Nos.	Nos.
7628—Gross, vs. Christ.	7176—Kurtz vs. Hilton.
6919—McMahon vs. Bailey.	7244—Meyers vs. Sweeney.
7020—Barnes vs. Steinurtz.	6896—Legrave vs. Dodd.
6577—Ehrnfeld vs. Wise.	6916—Nichols vs. Brien.
7185—Denny vs. Morley.	7183—Haas vs. Mace.
6814—Froehlich vs. Berge.	7247—Lauber vs. Litman.
6969—Capillo vs. Bentel.	7226—Wernze vs. Steinmetz
7225—Hoyer vs. Henriques.	7228—Newell vs. Mackenzie
7229—Tillinghast vs. Manly.	7350—Peiser vs. Cong'n B. C. W. Hadiaka.
6936—Gilfles vs. Jones.	7222—Journeymen Printers' Co-op. Asso. vs. Luyler.
7364—Lacer vs. Babb.	
7353—Nelson vs. O'Brien.	
6926—Marsellis vs. Anker.	

Part III.—Held by Curtis, J.

Nos.	Nos.
6656—Holyoke Warp-mill vs. Freund.	7513—Rose vs. Copcutt.
6943—Disonway vs. Steele.	7627—Wagner vs. Weber.
7349—Voorhees vs. Burns.	7706—Newton vs. Mandeville.
7974—Tice vs. Winters.	7957—Homans vs. Nye.
7916—Gibbs vs. Campbell.	7976—Schreiber vs. Messer.
7497—Moran vs. Fried.	7977—Anderson vs. Knox.
7498—Whytal vs. Shaw.	

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held by Bedford, J.

Nos.	Nos.
1—The People vs. Arthur X. Breed; forgery and false pretenses.	7—The People vs. David Walsh; felonious assault and battery.
2—The People vs. Lippman Levis; grand larceny.	8—The People vs. James O'Keefe; felonious assault and battery.
3—The People vs. Bernard Smith; grand larceny.	9—The People vs. Charles Schenewald; receiving stolen goods.
4—The People vs. Bernard Lanny; larceny from the person.	10—The People vs. Frank Rooner; false pretenses.
5—The People vs. Dennis Leary; petit larceny from the person.	11—The People vs. Patrick Walsh; assault and battery.
6—The People vs. George Sullivan; petit larceny from the person.	

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—NOV. 15.

By Judge Brady.

James Rogers vs. Henry Dudley, &c.; motion granted.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—NOV. 15.

By Judge Loew.

Pratt vs. Pratt, Read & Co.; motion granted; memorandum for counsel.

Roberts vs. Newhouse; application granted.

Hayden vs. Van Valen; motion for leave to serve supplemental answer granted without costs.

Woodward vs. Taylor; motion to open default granted upon paying $10 costs, and filing an undertaking with sufficient surety conditional to pay any judgment that may be recovered against the defendant in this action.

Ladd vs. The Hamilton Wadding Company; motion to place cause on short calendar denied without costs.

Ewing vs. Salomon; motion denied without costs.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

No. 234.—*United States* vs. *Kimball.*—Appeal from the Court of Claims.—The petitioners claim about $7,000 for damage to their bark, *Annie Kimball*, while in Government employ, and about $5,000 for loss of time of the bark caused by demurrage during fifty-six days at the rate of $100 per day. In April, 1865, the Quartermaster's Department shipped on the bark a cargo of coal, to be transported from Philadelphia to Port Royal, the master signing a bill of lading contracting to deliver at the place of destination for $6 25 per ton, stipulating for demurrage at the rate mentioned, after twenty-one days allowed for discharging. Arriving at Port Royal, the Quartermaster there refused to receive the freight, and ordered the master to proceed to Key West. This the master refused to do, and notified the Quartermaster there that he would hold him for damages if the order was enforced. Subsequently the order was enforced by a threat to take the master off the vessel and put another in charge. The master then protested that there was not enough water on the bar at that time, but the Quartermaster had the bark taken in tow by a Government tug, and in the attempt to get her over the bar struck violently, sprung aleak, and had to turn back upon the beach to save her from foundering. The bark was subsequently detained because her freight was not discharged, and afterward, while undergoing repair. The Government paid the freight due under the bill of lading, but refused the balance of the claim. On these facts the Court below gave judgment for the petitioners for $12,904, and the Government appealed, contending that by a marginal clause on the bill of lading, which was to be construed as a part of the contract, the master was required to proceed to Key West if so directed by the Quartermaster at Port Royal. Consequently the delay in getting away from the latter place was the fault of the master. It is also contended that the stranding of the bark was a peril of the sea, and the injury is one which must be borne by the owners of the vessel. But if the contract of affreightment did not require the master to comply with the directions of the Quartermaster at Port Royal, then it follows that the action of the Government was tortuous, and no action can be maintained in the Court of Claims; or else it was an appropriation of the vessel for the military service of the Government, and therefore taken out of the jurisdiction of the Court of Claims by the act of July 4, 1864.

Messrs. Chapman, Peck & Durant for the petitioners; Messrs. Bristow & Hall for the Government.

No. 235.—*United States* vs. *Tarble.*—Error to the Supreme Court of Wisconsin.—In this case the son of petitioner, being under eighteen years of age, was enlisted in the army without the consent of his parents, and was discharged by a Court Commissioner for Dane County, Wisconsin. The Government contend here that neither the Commissioner acting nor any other judicial officer of the State had authority to issue the writ of habeas corpus; that only the Federal Courts have authority to release persons illegally imprisoned by the United States. The recruit was a regularly enlisted soldier, duly mustered into the service, and was then under charge of desertion, and awaiting trial by the military authorities. The case, United States vs. Booth, 21 Howard, is the authority for the point made by the Government.

B. H. Bristow, for the United States.

No. 237.—*United States* vs. *Wynderse et al., Survivors, &c.*—Certificate of division from the Circuit Court for the Northern District of New-York.—This is an action of debt brought by the Government against the defendants and one Goodwin, now deceased, as principal and sureties on a distiller's bond, given under the thirty-ninth section of the Internal Revenue law of 1862, the condition of which was that Goodwin should faithfully conform to all the provisions of the act mentioned. Both sections of the act being violated, this action was brought, and the Court divided in opinion on the question "whether or no the condition of the bond so far departs from the requirements of the act of Congress as to render it void." The case is the same as that of United States vs. Hodson, (10 Wall 395,) decided last Winter, and then reported.

B. H. Bristow and C. H. Hill for the Government.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.—NOV. 15.

Before Chief-Justice Ingraham, and Judges Barnard and Cardozo.

DIVORCE AND ALIMONY.

Maria Gallinger vs. *Simon Gallinger.*—This was an appeal from an order made at Special Term directing the payment by defendant to plaintiff of $1,118 alimony. The points in the argument were chiefly as to the amount of property owned by defendant, and his consequent ability to pay the amount of alimony ordered or not. For plaintiff it is claimed he is worth some $60,000, while on the part of defendant it was claimed he was not worth one-third of that amount. Decision reserved.

Henry Morrison for plaintiff; James M. Smith for defendant.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—NOV. 15.

FIRST BOARD.

$2,200	U. S. 6s, '81, R.	c. 115⅝	
35,000	do.	116	
1,250	U. S. 5-20 C., '62, a.	111	
15,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '65.	111⅞	
5,500	U. S. 5-20 C., '65, n.	114⅜	
25,000	do.	114⅛	
10,000	U. S. 5-20 R., '67.	114⅝	
$10,000	U. S. 6s, Cur.	113⅝	
2,500	U. S. 5-20 C., '67, c.	114⅛	
7,500	do.	c. 114⅛	
10,000	do.	s3. 114⅝	
15,000	do.	114⅝	
10,000	do.	114⅜	
4,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '68.	115	

SECOND BOARD.

$10,000	Va. 6s, Def.	28½	
2,500	N. C. 6s, Old Bs.	38½	
10,000	do. bet. call.	38¼	
1,000	N. C. 6s, new	19½	
2,000	S. C. 6s, new, Jan.	68	
5,000	do. July	29¾	
9,000	Missouri 6s	98	
6,000	S. Y. S. B. L.	109	
4,000	Tenn. 6s, '90	80¾	
1,000	Cen. Pa. G. Bs.	103	
2,000	Union Pa.-1st	89¾	
10,000	do.	89¾	
2,000	U. P. 7s, L. G.	78¾	
4,000	C. & A. 6-P. 7s.	101¾	
2,000	M. So. & F. Bs.	100¼	
1,000	Mich. So. 2d	95¾	
1,000	P. F. & Ash. n.	91¾	
15	Corn Ex. Bank	140	
15	Continental Bank	96	
10	Cen. Nat. Bank	106	
16	Fourth Nat. Bank	109	
20	N. J. C. L. & I. Co.	70	
9	do. bet. call.	70	
400	Quick. Min. Co.	20¼	
300	do. bet. call.	21¼	
200	Mariposa Pf.	3	
400	Pa. M. S. S. Co. b. c.	48¾	
200	do.	c. 48¾	
300	W. U. Tel.	b. c. 68¾	
500	do.	68¾	
300	do.	68¾	
100	Un. Pac.	b. c. 35½	
150	N. Y. Cen. & H.	92¾	
300	do.	bet. call. 92¾	
200	Reading	111	
100	do.	bet. call. 110¾	
2200	do.	b3. 111	
300	L. S. & M. S. b. c.	88¼	
300	do.	88¾	
22	Mich. Cen.	122¼	
420	Clev. & Pitts.	125¼	
100	Chi. & N. W. Pf.	90¾	
100	do.	91	
100	N. J. Cen.	97¼	
200	do.	106	
100	C. & R. I.	b. c. 102¾	
100	C., C., C. & Ind.	85¾	
10	do.	85¾	
200	do.	bet. call. 78¼	
200	do.	78¾	
500	do.	78¾	
100	P., Ft. W. & C. G.	96	
100	Del., L. & W.	108¼	
100	do.	108¾	
500	B., H. & Erie	2	
200	Ohio & M. Pf.	39	
200	Han. & St. J.	58¼	
100	C., C. & Ind. C.	18¼	
100	do.	18¾	
200	do.	19	
200	Tol., W. & W. b. c.	63¼	

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 15—P. M.

The whole amount of United States 5-20s offered at the Treasury today was $1,397,600, all above the price of Gold, except $21,000, which amount was accepted. It now seems probable that most of the 5-20s will advance steadily above the price of Gold, and that the Secretary of the Treasury will soon have to call in, for redemption at par in Gold, a further sum of the Registered Stock of 1862 (or the Coupon Bonds) to supply his Sinking Fund wants. He has the alternative, we believe under the Act of February, 1862, of purchasing the 5 ₱ cent. Stocks of the United States for the Sinking Fund, if deemed more advantageous to the Fund than the 6 ₱ cent. 5-20s—at least to the extent of equalizing the proportions of each held for the Fund. And to this alternative the Secretary may possibly resort, because of the 90 days' notice and delay in calling in the 6 ₱ cents.

The 5-20s of 1867 were again conspicuously firm and scarce in the open market today, and all descriptions of the 5-20s in demand. The long 6 ₱ cents of 1881, and the 5 ₱ cents and 10-40s, are also firm.

There was no formal session of the Stock Exchange Board this forenoon, on account of the funeral of the late Mr. HERRICK. At the Afternoon Board the Railway and Miscellaneous Shares were active, and additional signs were offered of a general Bull movement on the market. The demand was more general than yesterday for the New-York and Western Roads, embracing New-York Central, Lake Shore, the North-wests, St. Paul Preferred, Union Pacific, Ohio and Mississippi, and Rock Island. There was also a large demand for Reading, the price advancing to 111 ₱ cent., and the stock scarce for delivery. There is also a scarcity of the North-west Preferred Stock for delivery, and it is estimated that Holland and Germany now hold $15,000,000 or 150,000 shares of the whole Preferred Capital of $20,000,000. Of the Common Stock, a German-American party were large buyers during and after the Chicago panic in October, (supposed on speculation only,) and Mr. DREW is reputed the next largest holder. The St. Paul Preferred Stock was in demand today, and there seems to be an increasing confidence in the ability of the Company to pay the usual annual Preferred Dividend of 7 ₱ cent. in February, There is less doing in the Common Stock. Both have measurably lost their old popularity as "speculatives" on the Street, for reasons which it would be unprofitable to discuss, but this feeling has nothing to do with the net traffic of the Road, which is believed to be equal, this year, to the Interest on the Debt and the 7 ₱ cent. pledged to the Preferred Stockholders.

The depression in the South Carolina Bonds continues, and sales were made this Afternoon at 29½@29¾ ₱ cent. The other Southern State Bonds were quiet.

The Pacific Mortgages are again in demand; further sales of Unions at 89¾ ₱ cent., and of Centrals at 103 ₱ cent.

Western Telegraph Stock was again a feature in the market. The sales ran up to 68¾ ₱ cent., and without bringing out much Stock. Pacific Mail sold up to 48¾ ₱ cent.

The sales of Gold throughout the day were mostly at 111¼ ₱ cent. The business in the Gold Room is moderate and free from speculative interest.

Exchange on London was advanced this morning to 109 ₱ cent. by the leading drawers, but sales were made, from second hands, of Bills previously purchased at lower figures, at 108¾ ₱ cent., less a sixteenth brokerage. The market closed quiet for Thursday's steamer.

No alteration was perceptible in the rates or supply of Money today. The Brokers pay 6@7 ₱ cent. on call loan, with exceptions as cheap as 5 ₱ cent. where balances are left with the leading houses.

After the late Board the following quotations were made, as compared with Tuesday night: The South Carolina Bonds recovered to 30½@31 ₱ cent. There was less spirit in the Railroads and Western Telegraph in the Hall of the Exchange, but no pressure to sell. The Public Funds left off firm on the 4½ P. M. London quotations. The Stocks of the New-Jersey Central, and Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Roads, closed firm. Central Pacific first mortgages left off 103@103½ ₱ cent.

CLOSING PRICES—NOV. 15.

	Tuesday.	Wednesday.
United States 10-40s	110	110
United States 5-20s of 1862	111½	111⅛
United States 5-20s of 1867	114⅛	114⅜
American Gold	111½	111⅛
Bills on London, 60 days	108½	109
N. Y. C. and Hudson	92	92½
N. Y. C. & Hud. Debt Ctfs	87½	87⅜
Reading	110⅛	110⅞
Chicago and Rock Island	102⅜	102⅝
North-west Common	61	61⅛
North-west Preferred	90½	90½
Pacific Mail	47⅜	47½
St. Paul Preferred	77⅞	78½
St. Paul Common	56⅛	56⅜
Ohio and Mississippi	39½	40⅜
Toledo and Wabash	62½	63
Western Telegraph	67	68½
Erie	31½	31⅜
Union Pacific	24⅜	25½
Lake Shore, Ex Scrip	86	86
Lake Shore, Scrip	79½	80½

Market closed strong and active.

The following prices were made for the various Public Funds of the United States at the close of business. Sales of the 5-20s of 1868 were made at 115 ₱ cent.

6 ₱ cent. reg., '81	116	5-20 coup., n. 1, '65	114⅛
6 ₱ cent. coup., '81	117½	5-20 reg., '67	114¼
5-20 reg., '62	111½	5-20 coup., '67	114⅝
5-20 coup., '62	111¼	5-20 reg., '68	114⅝
5-20 reg., '64	111¾	5-20 coup., '68	115
5-20 coup., '64	111¾	5-20 reg., '65	109¾
5-20 reg., '65	111¾	10-40 coup	110
5-20 coup., '65	111¾	6s Currency	113½
5-20 reg., n. 1., '65	114¼		

The following were the closing quotations for the Miscellaneous Stocks:

Del. & Hud. Canal	120¼	Mar. Min. Pf.	1¾
American Coal	45	Mar. Trustees Ctfs.	22
Canton Co. Balt.	70	Adams Express	86¾
Con. Coal of Md.	41¾	W.-F. Express	54
West Un. Tel.	68¾	W.-F. Express Scrip	2
Quicksilver Min.	7	M. U. Express	53¼
Quicksilver Min. Pf.	25¾	United States Ex.	57½
Mar. Min. Co.	1	Pacific Mail	47¾

We understand that some of our shipping merchants are preparing their claims against the British Government, to be presented to the Geneva Commission, for return of the War premiums which they paid in 1863-64 after the escape of the pirate *Alabama* from the port of Liverpool. The papers for about $1,000,000 of such claims have already been put in form. If allowed, the question may come up as to how far, if at all, the claims of the Underwriters, under the Washington Treaty, are to be taxed for these War premiums received.

The Free Trade Leaguers who have been talking much and writing more about the "highly protective" and "prohibitive" duties upon British manufactures, may be surprised to learn from the following figures (English authority) something of the rapid increase in the importation of several classes of these goods, such as Cotton and Woolen fabrics, under the existing Tariff. They must at least acknowledge that it seems to be a pretty fair Tariff "for revenue":

Exports of manufactured goods (according to DU FAT'S Circular) from the United Kingdom to the United States for the nine months ending Sept. 30, 1871, as compared with the same period in 1869 and 1870:

	1869. Yards.	1870. Yards.	1871. Yards.
Cotton piece goods of all kinds	84,056,616	85,672,175	107,408,472
Woolen cloths of all kinds	2,220,144	2,287,767	4,581,215
Worsted stuffs	57,019,949	54,776,641	72,857,719
Carpets	4,503,963	4,440,760	5,528,389

We have learned, at the Treasury, that the increase in Iron and Iron fabrics is quite as remarkable.

It is announced today that Mr. HENRY N. SMITH, formerly of SMITH, GOULD, MARTIN & Co., has been made President of the Hannibal and St. Joseph Company, and that Mr. GOULD goes into the Direction. Mr. B. F. CARVER is made Vice-President.

The Pacific Mail passes into the hands of the Wall-street party recently operating in the Stock. At the election today the Old Board were voted out, and Mr. J. P. STOCKWELL, of the Howe Sewing-machine Company, made President in place of Mr. ALLEN MCLEAN. His colleagues in the New Administration are nearly all Stock Exchange people, Messrs. Henry Clews, C. J. Osborn, James Smith, H. H. Baxter, LeGrand Lockwood, E. C. Taylor, A. Masterton, (of Merchants' and Manufacturers' Bank,) and W. Billings. Mr. MCLEAN gives place to his successor, after an honorable service of twelve or fifteen years in the concern, during which the good fortunes and vicissitudes of the Stock have been marked by as high a figure as 280 ₱ cent., and as low (since the Pacific Roads were opened,) as 32 ₱ cent. What the new party will "do with it" remains to be seen. They come into cash means, as noted yesterday, amounting to $3,000,000 of steamship property, dock property, coals, &c., valued nominally at $14,000,000.

It is rumored on the Street that the Viaduct Railroad scheme will soon be formally surrendered, and that a number of the Capitalists named as Directors last Summer, and in no other way connected with Mr. HILTON or the Tammany people, will favor the Central Underground Broadway Road, whose charter has not yet been brought into practical use. The story goes so far as to name Mr. JOHN TAYLOR JOHNSTON as President and Mr. WILLIAM B. DUNCAN as Treasurer of the Underground Corporation.

The latest telegrams from Londod this afternoon indicate, by the stiff figures for the English and American Funds that the Bank of England will to-morrow reduce its rate of discount. The present rate is 5 ₱ cent., but for a week or more past the price of Money in the open market in London has ranged 3@3½ ₱ cent.

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW-YORK, Nov. 15, 1871.

Gold receipts	$629,890 56
Gold payments	220,939 08
Gold balance	66,400,726 31
Currency receipts	755,962 57
Currency payments	171,427 88
Currency balance	7,017,674 27
Customs	462,000 00

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS—NOV. 15.

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	Bid.	Asked.
City 6s, new	100¼	100¾
Camden and Amboy	130	..
Pennsylvania Central	58	58¼
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Lehigh Valley	59⅞	60
Catawissa Preferred	46	46¾
Philadelphia and Erie	24¾	25
Northern Central	39⅝	..
Lehigh Navigation	35	35⅝
Lehigh Gold Loan	91	..

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NEW-YORK, THURSDAY, NOV. 16, 1871.

Amusements This Evening.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.—OUR AMERICAN COUSIN—Mr. Sothern.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.—DIVORCE—Characters by company.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.—EILEEN OGE—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Florence.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—ROSEDALE—Mr. Lester Wallack.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.—HUMPTY DUMPTY—Mr. G. L. Fox and Kiralfy Troupe.

LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE.—The GRANDE DUCHESSE, (Opera Bouffe)—Mlle. Aimee.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.—DOT—Mr. John E. Owens.

UNION-SQUARE THEATRE.—VARIETY PERFORMANCES.

ST. JAMES' THEATRE.—VAUDEVILLE AND OPERETTA.

WOOD'S MUSEUM.—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE AND CURIOSITIES—Afternoon and Evening.

GLOBE THEATRE.—VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT.

P. T. BARNUM'S MUSEUM, MENAGERIE AND CIRCUS.—Empire Rink, day and evening.

NEW-YORK CIRCUS.—EQUESTRIAN, GYMNASTIC AND ATHLETIC FEATS.

BRYANT'S OPERA-HOUSE.—NEGRO MINSTRELSY—FARCES.

ST. PETER'S HALL.—HARTZ THE PRESTIDIGITATOR.

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The utmost care will be devoted to gathering political news from special sources during the Presidential canvass. This department of the paper will be unusually full and trustworthy. Renewed enterprise will be exhibited in every department of the paper, and large space will be devoted to reports of speeches made during elections, or on other important political occasions.

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The Judiciary.

The Bar Association of this City has resolved to attempt a reform of the Judiciary. Our readers will remember that this is a cause for which we have labored for some years past, and that by so laboring we have drawn down upon our heads from time to time the wrath of several Judges, who have threatened to "get level on us," to use their own classic expression, and have accused us of divers crimes of which we were not previously aware that we had been guilty. But, of course, there can be no mistake about what a Judge asserts from the Bench, and so we have gradually, though reluctantly, come to believe in our guilt. That, however, is neither here nor there. There was a time, and not very long ago either, when the lawyers seemed to be making up their minds to crouch down slavishly before the corrupt Judges. We told them in November, 1869—not to go back any further—that they looked on the frauds of bad Judges "with sealed lips, or winked at their spoliation of the poor, and even shared in the division of what they knew to be neither fees nor costs, but prey—the prey of men compared with whom the poor burglar is respectable." The Bar Association was formed some time after that, and the public expected great results from it. Many obstacles, however, stood in the way, some of which are now removed. We cannot say that any substantial change for the better has taken place within the past two years, although Judge CARDOZO has given up his celebrated "Star Chamber of the Ring"—Room 13. Now the Bar Association mean to go to work in good earnest, and with Gen. BARLOW as Attorney-General of the State, it ought to make rapid progress.

We should like to know how many people in the community regard "Judge" PRATT, of the Second Judicial District, as a credit to the Bench. When other Judges seem to be anxious to scramble out of the mire, he seems possessed with an ambition to get deeper into it. Whenever there is dirty work to be done, he is now the man pitched upon to do it. People cannot yet have forgotten the murder of Mr. PUTNAM by FOSTER. The trial took place, the evidence was conclusive, and FOSTER was condemned to death. No Judge in New-York was willing to interfere in his favor. But Judge PRATT did the business, and now FOSTER is half forgotten, and seems very likely to get off. Again, when FISK was on the eve of being shown up to the community in a way which was calculated to make him tremble in his "gum shoes," PRATT interfered to save him. It is well known that JAMES FISK, Jr., had placed in the possession of a Mrs. MANSFIELD many letters and documents involving himself and other well-known scamps—such as TWEED and SWEENY—in grave scandals. Moreover, Mrs. MANSFIELD kept a diary, and in that diary is entered many details which throw a great light on the intrigues of the amorous JAMES in connection with the Erie and Tammany Rings. We have reason to know that proofs of very dark offences—nay, of deep crimes—are contained in these papers. Judge PRATT was appealed to. He issued an injunction against the publication of the papers—he even prohibited the persons who kept them from holding any "conversation" with anybody concerning them. Why did he take this trouble? Was it from pure motives, or because the Erie Ring once more resorted to the old tactics, and convinced his "judgment" in a way peculiar to themselves?

This is but a sample of what still goes on every day. Has not the Judiciary always been strangely merciful to JAMES FISK and his Erie "pals?" Surely our readers cannot have forgotten the repeated exposures which have been made in these columns, and by Mr. ADAMS in the pages of the *North American Review*. They all tell the same story, and it is a story which reflects everlasting disgrace on the Judiciary of our City and State. Is it not a little too much for human patience to see FISK still using the Courts at his pleasure—still able to order injunctions by the yard, and to get Judges to give any ruling of the law which happens to suit him? We know that this cannot go on much longer, and some of the Judges know it too. The sooner they are all made to feel the weight of the law they have outraged, the better will it be for the credit and the morals of the community.

Another "New Party" Project.

The *Staats Zeitung*, as we have taken occasion frequently to point out, has done excellent service in the Reform movement in this City and State. Its experience in that campaign has been productive of benefit in more ways than one. It has severed a good many ties of partisanship, and enabled the paper to regard the party with which it has so long worked from an independent standpoint. It is hardly necessary to say to our readers that the Democracy today does not sustain that kind of scrutiny as well as it might have done a half century since. The result of the *Zeitung's* inspection is announced in an elaborate editorial in last Monday's edition. It is that the Democratic Party has lost all power to secure the election of any one but its opponent's candidates. It points out that the party has been defeated everywhere, and no where so badly as where it copied its adversaries' principles, and adopted a renegade from its adversaries' ranks to represent them. So far from winning to its standard the "Liberal Republicans," as the *Zeitung* calls them, the Democracy has only forced those Republicans who may be discontented with the administration to declare that they vastly prefer the administration as it is, and as it is likely to be, to any that the Democrats can present them. Under these circumstances, the *Zeitung* thinks the bubble of a prospective victory for Democracy by any coalition with the Liberal Republicans, is pricked.

What, then, does the *Zeitung* advise? It advises the breaking up of the Democratic Party, and the formation of a new one, "builded anew from the foundation." The basis of this new structure the *Zeitung*, in common with the Cincinnati *Volksblatter*, thinks may be found in the Reform movement in New-York. We have no doubt both papers are entirely sincere in this view. They are struggling to find a field in which they can conscientiously labor; they do not agree with the Republican Party's principles, nor like its men; and they have learned that the Democracy is at once hopelessly corrupt and hopelessly decrepit. Naturally they seek a new party. Perhaps it is not strange that they should see the germ of one in the splendid popular movement in New-York. Yet there are many reasons why any attempt to make the New-York movement a model for the whole country is sure to fail, and is in itself little less than absurd.

In the first place, the objective point of such a movement does not exist in national politics. Reforms are unquestionably required in that field, but they are not such as were demanded in New-York. They are of two kinds—first, reforms in the principle on which legislation has proceeded; and second, reforms in the methods of administering laws. In regard to the first of these there is room for honest difference of opinion; and though, as in the revenue system, monopolists have profited by the prevailing laws, they have done so much more by the support of great bodies of sincere people than by the use of interested or corrupt means. In regard to the second—the methods of administration—the abuses that have grown up are very bad, but they are not the kind of abuses which aroused indignation in New-York: they are not *the sole ends for which the methods were invented*; they are not a part of a conspiracy to rob and defraud, concocted and participated in by every branch of the Government, legislative, judicial, and executive, as the New-York abuses were.

In the next place, the *Zeitung*, in counting upon a new opposition party on a basis like that of the Reform Party in New-York, that shall include the body of the Democracy, is reckoning without its host. The Reform Party did not include the body of the New-York Democracy, but made its fight against it, and did include the whole of the Republican Party in the State. How, then, by merely transferring the scene of operations to the whole country, are you going to get rid of these awkward facts? How can you make a national anti-Tammany party to oppose the party which was to a man anti-Tammany in the New-York struggle? How can you make a national anti-Tammany party out of the Democratic Party, which in New-York furnished every vote for Tammany?

If these facts did not make the fallacy of the *Zeitung's* proposition obvious enough, there is still another to be considered. It is the fact that the Republican Party can, and probably will, work out itself, with the aid of President GRANT, all the reforms in behalf of which the *Zeitung* would organize an opposition to GRANT and the Republicans. To do this would only require a courageous and sincere advance in the direction already marked out by the reform legislation of the party, and approved by its President. Every consideration urges this advance. Patriotism and honor demand it, and consistency and sound policy second the demand. The Springfield *Republican* has just declared its opposition to the renomination of the President, and other papers, as well as several prominent politicians, are known to be openly or covertly of the same mind. Their motives are mixed—partly arising from a desire for certain revenue and civil service reforms, partly opposition to what may be called purely Administrative measures—such as the negotiation about San Domingo, and partly from personal objections to Gen. GRANT. Let the next Congress advance carefully, but decisively, toward revenue reform; let the President—as his Attorney-General advises him that it is his exclusive privilege to do—inaugurate a genuine and exacting civil service reform, with such scope as he himself recommended in his last message; and what would the opponents of the Republican Party have to stand upon?

The German Experiment in Alsace.

The struggle between France and Germany, which ended with the capitulation of Paris, has broken out in another form in the province ceded to the conqueror. It took nearly a hundred years to make Alsace French in sympathy and national feeling. The problem which is now submitted to German culture and civilization, is how quickly can it be made German again? France is doing what she can to retain a hold upon the attachment of the people, whom she never valued so much as since she lost them. The brave Alsatians no longer do duty as butts for the undiscriminating wit of the *vaudevilles*. They have a place of honor in the counsels of French statesmen, and form the subject of patriotic discussions and patriotic schemes. One of the latest of these latter was in the form of a legal enactment setting aside one hundred hectares (210,000 acres) of land in Algeria for the use of Alsatian emigrants. The first requisite of this law was that the intending colonist should prove himself to be the possessor of one thousand dollars, and then should satisfy certain Commissioners that he had a competent knowledge of agriculture. As might have been expected, this hopeful scheme has been exceedingly barren of results. Five thousand francs represent a good deal in Alsace, and the fortunate possessors of such a sum, either in money or property, have wisely resolved to stay at home. The only natives of the province who have found their way to Algeria, have been parties of needy workmen or small cultivators who expected to be received with open arms in the African colony, albeit they wanted the needful qualification of being possessed of one thousand dollars. What they did find was the temporary shelter of a military post, whose hospitality was soon exhausted, and afterward peremptorily denied to any new-comers. Next, they were taken in hand by a committee of protection, who, having no funds to back up their name, passed over the unfortunate immigrants to a benevolent society of Algerian ladies. The good intentions of this association being found likewise inoperative for want of funds, the question is not inappropriately asked by French journals, "who will find work for the needy men and clothing for the poor children?"

Failures like this will go further to cool the French sympathies of Alsace than years of conscientious German administration. The immediate result of the failure of the Algerian project has been to send the current of the emigration from Alsace toward our own shores. Visible proof of this may be seen after the arrival of certain of the European steamers, in strong parties of unmistakably Alsatian peasantry, headed by men with blue blouses, plodding along the lower part of Broadway, looking marvelously unconcerned at the strange surroundings of a new world. Not that Germany has any reason to apprehend a general hegira of her new subjects. The moderately well-to-do will certainly stay to a man. Some of the large manufacturers of Mulhouse are transferring their establishments to French soil, and the exceedingly turbulent class in their employment will doubtless follow, not much to the regret of their new rulers. The educated classes seem to be acquiescing in the change of régime with wonderful equanimity. Already students are going from Alsace to Leipzig and other German universities. The commercial classes are frankly accepting the new order of things, and are addressing to the Government of Berlin sundry practical suggestions with reference to the maintenance of the franc as the standard of currency, and to the mode of assimilating their gold standard to that of Germany. The Prussian Bureaucracy seems disposed to listen to any reasonable suggestion that can be made as to the best means of governing Alsace. They are conscious of having undertaken a somewhat difficult experiment, and they are equally awake to the necessity of preventing Alsace from becoming a German Ireland. It is conceded that the bulk of the peasantry expect an early restoration of French rule, and that they have, either from prudential considerations, or from feelings of attachment, re-elected nearly the same Mayors as were placed over them by the second Empire. It is believed, however, that Alsace is still German enough at heart to render its complete incorporation with the united Empire a question of but a few years.

How Long?

Mayor HALL is determined to "stick" as long as he can, and he is putting forward feelers every day through the journals which he can influence with regard to a reorganization of the City Government, under his direction. The man cannot be brought to understand that the public have decided once for all against rogues in office, and have consequently pronounced *his* doom. He is confident that he cannot be kicked out until the Legislature meets. In the meantime, he is determined to do all the harm he can. He supports TWEED in his raids upon the City Treasury—we even find in his journals hints to the laborers to get up a "bread riot"—as if HILTON'S attempt in the same direction had been no warning against that course. When the laborers are disposed to ask for what belongs to them, they will go to TWEED & Co., who stole their money, and spent it in buying houses for their depraved companions—TWEED, for instance, has bought two houses within two years for a certain woman, at a cost of $215,000—in "American Clubs," and in diamond shoe-buckles. The working men understand pretty clearly by this time who has robbed them.

The Mayor boasted to the reporter of one of his newspapers on Tuesday that he could keep HILTON in office as long as he liked—and he intimated that he meant to do it. TWEED told the same reporter that he did not intend to give up his office, or to leave the City. "New-York," he said, "is quite good enough for me to live in. I don't desire any better City than New-York." He need not. He has found it an "excellent City to sack." He added, "I am very much attached to New-York." New-York is by no means so much attached to him, and, if its recent broad hints do no not convince him of that fact, it will contrive to find other means of doing so. These two men, HALL and TWEED, really think that they can outlive the present storm. They send men every day to badger Mr. ANDREW H. GREEN for money which they have made away with. How long is this to last? We submit that question to the people, and have no doubt about the nature of their answer.

The Last of a Hermit.

Hermits are commonly held to be creatures of romance rather than reality, yet there are such beings even in this procaic age. A recluse died in Saline County, Kansas, a week or two ago, who for twenty long years had lived absolutely alone. He dwelt in a large cave, some ten miles from the town of Petra, and nothing was known of his early career until after his death. That career then proved to have been very touching and mournful.

The hermit's name was FRANKLIN ELLIOTT. During the years of his solitary existence in the cave, he was an object of constant speculation and curiosity. Once or twice only in the year he came into the town. He would then barter game or pelts for powder, shot, and salt—seldom anything else—speaking as few words as might be, and then hastening away. Sometimes he would be seen in the woods carrying a long rifle and quantities of game. If he saw people approaching, he would try to avoid them by turning aside into the forest. If that happened to be impracticable, he would stalk moodily straight on. When spoken to he would reply briefly and coldly, and at once depart. He had "a commanding air, a proud, set face, and, in spite of his squalid attire, long elfin locks, and singular mode of life, inspired as much respect as curiosity." The cave in which he lived was commodious, having been enlarged, evidently by himself, from a small hole to an apartment twenty-five feet square and ten or twelve feet high. When examined after his death it was quite void of furniture. Pieces of stone and niches in the rocky walls apparently served as chairs, tables, and shelves. A rifle and fowling-piece were found, a long, broad, bowie-knife, fishing tackle, cooking utensils, and a number of books. Among the latter were copies of SHAKESPEARE, STERNE, ADDISON, SCHILLER, SOUTHEY, and SPENSER. In one corner was a heap of blankets and skins, and on these lay the solitary occupant of the retreat—dead.

Two gentlemen had been hunting near by and were overtaken by a storm. Seeking refuge at the cave, they knocked at its heavy, iron-bound door. No response being made to their repeated summons, they pressed cautiously to the inside, and saw what we have described. They also found a small tin box, such as is used by lawyers, and in this were papers that made clear the unhappy man's history. He had been well born, educated, and affluent. It would appear that he must have been early in life elected to the Legislature of his native State, Kentucky. Before this he had become passionately attached to a young girl. A likeness of her, showing that she must have possessed remarkable beauty, qualified by a rather sensuous and cruel expression, was also found in the box. Sets of letters, in different hands, make the whole drama clear. "Olive," for such was her name as written on the portrait and in the letters, had led ELLIOTT at first to think his love for her returned. In other words, she amused herself with him after the fashion of many of her sex without having any real feeling. While the game was going on, some one crossed her path for whom she conceived a veritable passion. She corresponded with this fresh admirer, but lacked moral courage to tell the other one the truth. Either for this reason, or out of contemptible vanity, she kept up her affairs with both. ELLIOTT discovered all, as letters in the tin box, written by "Olive," to both himself and his rival, proved, such letters, bearing the same date, were found side by side, and stained with blood, in the same package.

In the same package was a yellow, printed slip cut from an old newspaper. It gave an account of a frightful duel fought between the two men with rifles at twenty-five paces. ELLIOTT shot his antagonist through the head. The cause of the duel, as described by the slip, was a dispute at cards. It described the slain man, BAILEY, as "handsome, brave and lax of principle." What happened afterward as regards "Olive" is unknown. Neither law nor public opinion was severe on dueling in Kentucky a quarter of a century ago, so that there was no particular reason for ELLIOTT to fly. He went abroad, however, and seems to have remained in Europe two or three years. Whether moved to return and to seek a solitary life by the stings of conscience or by the misery of a broken heart, can only be conjectured. It is only known that he did return, that he abandoned friends and society for ever, and lived like the melancholy *Jacques*, in an "abandoned cave" until death mercifully closed his eyes. The compassionate will be glad to be told that tender hands reverently disposed the poor outcast's remains, gave them decent burial, and marked the spot with a memorial stone. Upon it is inscribed "FRANKLIN ELLIOTT. A Stranger. Nov. 7, 1871."

Counting Out the Reformers.

Information has just been obtained that the Tammany Ring have determined to retain their clutches to the last upon the reins of authority, by counting out certain of the Aldermen elected upon the Reform ticket at the recent election, so as to secure their seats to "TOM" COMAN and men like him.

These gentry should distinctly understand that their project is perfectly understood, and that those who attempt it, will do so at their peril. The time when such performances would be submitted to has passed, never more to return. Any attempt of this description will be instantly exposed, and woe betide those engaged in it! The public have had enough of "TOM" COMAN and his "*crowd*."

A Railway Catastrophe.

It is not often that the public are called on to rejoice over railroad calamities, but the explosion that took place yesterday in the "Viaduct" Railroad Company will doubtless be read with satisfaction, if not with delight, by all honest people. The TIMES early gave a full ventilation of that last and most preposterous "job" of our Ring masters, and the enterprise has been in a languishing condition ever since. Yesterday the President of the concern, HILTON, called the directors together to witness its dissolution, and to provide for a decent burial of the corpse. A funeral is not the place to draw social distinctions, and therefore it was excusable to find among the mourners WM. BUTLER DUNCAN side by side with WM. M. TWEED, JOHN JACOB ASTOR with PETER B. SWEENY, WM. R. TRAVERS with A. OAKEY HALL, and so on. Besides, these gentlemen joined themselves together to nurse the "viaduct" bantling while living, and why should they not mingle their tears over its dead body? Mr. DUNCAN, the Treasurer, preached the funeral sermon, and told the mourners that the defunct baby had realized the fondest hopes of its parents; in fact, it had exceeded their most sanguine expectations. There was money enough in the treasury to pay all the funeral expenses, and provide for any contingency in case of a resurrection. He thought "Resurgam" ought to be inscribed over the remains, and dropped a tear or two over the open grave. A committee was appointed from the Board of Directors to administer upon the estate, after which it was suggested that all the members of the Board had better resign their places. The suggestion met the unanimous approval of all present, and was acted upon without delay. Thus ends the last of the "Ring" jobs—the Viaduct Railroad. It will be useless to attempt to revive it by appointing a new Board of Directors, as was hinted at the meeting yesterday, for among the first acts of the next Legislature will be the repeal of its charter.

"On the Way to Washington."

A City journal which generally acts as the mouthpiece of Senator FENTON, denied, on Monday, that FENTON had held any interview on Friday with JAY GOULD and FISK at the Erie offices. We took no notice of its denial, because it was couched in a tone which disentitled it to notice. Yesterday it went flourishing about in its usual queer style, and boasting that our story is disproved. Nothing of the kind. We say that Senator FENTON *was* at the Erie offices on Friday last; and if Senator FENTON will assert, over his own name, that he was not, we will produce our authority for the statement we make. Perhaps Senator FENTON will also tell us, at the same time, how many consultations—of course only about "freight," on "his way to Washington," &c.,—with JAY GOULD, or FISK, or both, he has had during the past year. Let Mr. FENTON himself come out and talk—he might afford to show himself just once. It is a most remarkable thing that Senator FENTON'S "way to Washington" lies straight through the Erie offices—he is discovered there, the story gets wind, and then he sets his "organ" to work to prove that he was "only going to Washington." Now will Senator FENTON tell us whether or not he was at the Erie offices last Friday? We don't intend to have any controversy with another paper on the subject—let Mr. FENTON speak himself. Let him tell us what drags him constantly into the society of JAMES FISK, Jr., and JAY GOULD.

Sands.

It is rumored around the City Hall that the public is about to be delighted with another batch of resignations. SWEENY has resigned; HILTON has resigned; TWEED will, they say, soon resign; may we not hope that the embodiment of all public virtue, the sum and substance of public spirit, the sun of goodness—we mean, of course, NATHANIEL SANDS—will also resign? We do not expect him to resign that seventy-five thousand dollars which he so quietly pocketed, and for grabbing which Mr. PETER COOPER turned him out of the Citizens' Association. That would be somewhat out of character. As well might we expect ANDREW J. GARVEY to send a check from Switzerland to the City of New-York for the millions he stole.

But we may fairly expect SANDS to leave his place open to some honest man. When SWEENY has resigned, when HILTON has given up, when TWEED is selling out his stocks and making ready either to run away or to resign, when the Sheriff is looking for INGERSOLL, and GARVEY has fled, SANDS can hardly have the face to remain much longer in the place which he would never have got had he not persuaded poor Mr. COOPER that his intentions, like those of the villain in the play, were "strictly honorable."

If, however, SANDS should prove, like his great original and pattern, Uriah Heep, or like the animal known as a sheep-tick, difficult to get rid of, would it not be well for Mr. COOPER, and what remains of the Citizens' Association, to make a formal demand upon him to give up the place which he got only as their representative, which he obtained by selling them to the Ring, and which he could never have got had he not been able to deceive honest men, and secretly sell the influence of an honorable Association to TWEED and SWEENY? "For," Mr. COOPER and the honest members of the Citizens' Association might say to SANDS, "you would never have gained your shameful eminence had you not climbed on our shoulders. You would have been a poor devil to this day had we not supported you and your clerks year after year by our liberal subscriptions. You might have been an honest man today had you not deceived us and sold us to the Ring. You ought, for our sakes, on whose bounty you lived so many years, and by whose subscriptions you and your gang were supported, to Get Out."

But if the Citizens' Association should thus address SANDS, we advise them not to ask him to give back the City's seventy-five thousand dollars. That he will not do. Like TWEED, like SWEENY, like GARVEY, like all the rest of that malodorous crew, he is bitten with the vulgar fury for money. He has seen his masters steal millions, and no doubt his poor little seventy-five thousand dollars looks to his greedy eyes petty and miserable. He hoped to gain more—indeed, we do not know how much more he may have gained. You may prove TWEED a scoundrel, you may count up before his face, item by item, his stolen money; the boys may even cry "Stop thief" after him in the streets, and at railroad depots, and yet you do not touch him; but touch his money, and there you find the vital spot. SANDS stands revealed to the public as one of this wretched and vulgar brotherhood, and the meanest, because like Uriah Heep he made loud pretensions to virtue.

Let TWEED and SANDS resign, and get out of the way. They may still carry on that Cigar Company, of which TWEED made SANDS President, and of which SANDS made his son an officer. And let them boldly hoist their sign, "TWEED, SANDS & Co.;" it will not surprise the public, except by its eminent fitness.

MINOR TOPICS.

Dr. DOREMUS, City Sanitary Inspector, called the attention of the Board of Health yesterday to the fact that, within the last twelve days, seven persons had been killed on Fourth-avenue, between Forty-fifth and Fifty-fourth streets, by trains of cars running out of or into the new Central Depot. It appears that none of these accidents were reported to the Coroner with the true cause of death, thus showing that efforts have been made to conceal the facts from the public. Any one who has had occasion to witness the numerous trains that are constantly passing and repassing in that vicinity since the opening of the new depot, must have been impressed with the imminent danger to pedestrians in that part of the City; and if it be true that Commodore VANDERBILT'S "vested rights" release him from all responsibility to guard against the danger, the sooner some legislation is obtained to protect the lives of our citizens the better.

Among the candidates for Speaker of the next Assembly already in the field, are THOMAS G. ALVORD, of Onondaga County; HENRY SMITH, of Albany; FRANKLIN A. ALBERGER, of Erie; JAMES W. HUSTED, of Westchester; L. BRADFORD PRINCE, of Queens; and HORATIO N. TWOMBLY, of New-York. Of this number ALVORD, alone, has had any experience in the position. He has been four or five years Speaker of the Assembly, and two years President of the Senate. He is sixty-three years of age, but hale, hearty and vigorous. His long identification with the saline interest of Syracuse has fixed upon him the nickname of "Old Salt;" and, should he again be successful as a candidate for the Speakership, it is safe to predict that the "Committee on Salt" will have an easy time of it, so far as investigations into the Syracuse monopolies are concerned. We beg our critics to understand that we are not recommending "Old Salt" for the position.

A very telling review of the State expenditures under the Tammany rule was the other day ascribed by us to the Rochester *Democrat & Advertiser*. We are informed that the review, which was based on laborious compilation of figures, was originally the work of the Troy *Times*, a paper that has done much hard work for the people in many ways.

Our victory—don't be alarmed, gentlemen; we only mean the *people's* victory—would hardly have been complete without its pictorial record by NAST, who has followed the thieves so sharply all through the fight. Accordingly we have in *Harper's* for NOV. 25, a series of very telling designs from his vigorous imagination. We need not undertake to describe them. Nearly a million of people will have seen them before a week is over, and they will have been laughed at and enjoyed by that time in every State in the Union. But we cannot help saying that the thrust at SANDS is as sharp as it is deserved,—and could not be sharper. Once more—well done MR. NAST.

FISK, Jr., probably finds the thick-coming affidavits of the injured Mrs. MANSFIELD rather less exciting than the cross-fire of injunctions and the piratical warfare of the stormy days of Erie. The former recipient of his gushing epistles is the Nemesis whom fate has sent to avenge upon him the rascalities perpetrated through the alliance of Erie and Tammany. FISK is charged in the affidavits presented before Justice BIXBY, yesterday, with practices as disreputable in this latest piece of legal warfare, as ever characterized any of his previous efforts in a similar direction. Suborning a negro waiter-boy, and attempting to bribe or bully a servant-maid, will not, if proven, add much lustre to the fame of their author. The public is at present in the humor of giving rascals their due, and would welcome any means of bringing the dark deeds of the Erie gang into light.

Capt. SHAW, the Chief of the London Fire Brigade, whose tour of inspection in this country is not yet forgotten, has been refused permission to proceed to Chicago for the purpose of inquiring into the reasons why an expensive and well-organized fire brigade was beaten in its contest with the conflagration. London has recently been reminded by various authorities, that it is the most likely of European cities to share the fate of Chicago. Its Board of Works, appear, however, to assume that their Fire Department is so perfect that no amount of outside experience can avail to improve it. Or, probably they are impressed by the statement of a sapient correspondent of the *Spectator*, who utterly derides the kerosene-lamp theory, and declares that on the fatal day at Chicago "balls of fire were observed to fall like meteors in different parts of the town," and "a bright light appeared in the south-west horizon, gradually increasing till the heavens were aglow with fire." In a case like this a Fire Department would, of course, be as useless as it would have been in ancient Sodom.

A great many attempts have been made to illustrate what is called the "height of absurdity," but nothing that we have yet heard of equals, in that line, the accounts that are daily published of "interviews" with "Boss" TWEED. The idea of half a dozen reporters running to the "Boss" every day, and gravely asking him the question whether he "intends to run away," and as gravely recording, for publication, his stereotyped answer, that he "does not intend to run away," is about as supremely ridiculous as anything that can well be imagined. Why don't they ask him, once for all, whether he stole ten millions of dollars out of the City Treasury? They would be just as likely to get a truthful answer.

It is evident that revenue reform is gaining real ground, when HORACE GREELEY admits its power to effect a reduction of some of the monopolists' pet duties. The *Tribune* yesterday declared that "the demand for 'free coal,' &c., will be so urgently pressed that it can hardly be resisted with success." The *Tribune* is perfectly correct. It also protests against "a further reduction of the duties on tea, coffee and sugar," and wishes that "the policy of adding largely to the free list may be persisted in." The soul of Mr. GREELEY may be at rest on this subject. That policy will be persisted in and immensely accelerated as well. Will the people have him to thank for it?

The Special Committee appointed by the Common Council to report an ordinance fixing the fire limits of Chicago, is in favor of dividing the city into two districts, one to be known as the inner and the other the outer. The inner district is to extend from the river south to Twelfth-street, taking in Centre-avenue, Madison-street, Ann-street, Indiana-street, Rucker-street, and North-avenue to the lake shore. Within this area no wooden buildings will be permitted; and in the outer district such structures will not be allowed to exceed one story, or sixteen feet in height. In both districts the walls of brick buildings, two stories high, are to be eight inches in thickness; of three stories, sixteen inches; and of four or more stories, twenty inches. So far, a most remarkable unanimity of feeling has existed between all engaged in the work of reconstruction; and if the building regulations are only carried out in the same spirit, the new Chicago promises to be in every respect a model city.

M. ROUHER and Prince NAPOLEON are at loggerheads. The Ex-Minister says that the Prince bungled in Corsica as usual. His campaign was properly laid out for him in advance, and, if he could only have had the common sense to stick to his instructions, he would have succeeded. The Prince, for his part, vows that the cunning ROUHER led him into a trap—the object implied apparently being that of killing him off as a possible candidate for Regent, or even for higher honors. Whoever may be right, the anti-Bonapartist journals profess intense joy over the Ajaccio *fiasco*, and declare that it settles things indefinitely against the "Man of Sedan." Yet the sales of the Imperial organ, *L'Ordre* have swelled prodigiously, and its utterances daily grow bolder. Be the other effects of Prince NAPOLEON'S misadventure what they may, that of restricting the demand for M. DUVERNOIS' daring journal is plainly not of the number.

Thirty Years in Prison.

A prisoner was discharged from the Massachusetts State Prison, on Tuesday, who has experienced the opposite of a checkered career, in the ordinary sense of the term, since 1840, for, with but short intervals, nearly all that time has been passed within prison walls. In 1844 he first appeared at the prison gate, at the age of twenty-four, under the name of Thomas Hyatt, sentenced to three years as a common and notorious thief, having but a short time before been discharged from the Connecticut State Prison, where he had served a like term for a similar offense. He was discharged on the expiration of his term, but appeared again in 1850 under the name of Charles Tuttle, sentenced to another three years for larceny. He was duly discharged and departed rejoicing when his time was up, only to return as John Burat in 1854, on three sentences of two years each for as many charges of larceny. He had always proved a troublesome customer to the wardens, and this term of six years was no exception to the rule. He was again discharged in 1860, and returned to his old stamping ground, "the land of steady habits." There he kept steadily on his course, and once more found himself in his favorite asylum, this time in his original cage. Having served his eighth term, he returned to the Bay State, resumed "business," and succeeded, as before—in getting into prison, where his name was booked in 1869, for another three years. His troubles have not ended yet, for Deputy Constables LITTLEFIELD and BAGLEY of the State Prison were in waiting for him with a requisition from the Governor of Connecticut, who desires to interview him through the medium of the Courts on seven charges of felony that are there on file against him. He begged hard of Warden HAYNES for his intercession, but the official had no power to aid him, and now at the age of fifty years, his prospects seem dark for another long term in gloomy confinement.

Robbery at Claymont, Del.—The Artist Darley Victimized.

On Sunday last an Italian beggar called at the residence of Mr. DARLEY, the artist, near Claymont, Del., and solicited charity. He was given both food and money, but the ungrateful rascal took the opportunity afterward of robbing his benefactors. He went round, it is supposed, to the front part of the house, opened the window, entered the parlor, and its contents, took a quantity of silverware and made good his escape. Mr. EDMUND H. DARLEY and the servants were in the house, but did not hear him, so stealthy were his operations.

Encke's Comet.

The Boston *Transcript* says that the spectrum of ENCKE'S comet was observed and measured at the Observatory of Harvard College on Sunday evening, Nov. 12. It consists of three bright lines and a faint continuous spectrum, fainter than the continuous spectrum of the great nebula in Orion, as seen with the same instrument. It appears from this that it is a gaseous body, emitting light and not merely reflecting it.

AFFAIRS IN ENGLAND.

Mr. Gladstone at Greenwich—The Premier and the Free-Thought Republicans—Revolutionary Stimulants—Spread of Republicanism—The Royal Family and Public Ceremonials—Irish Unrest—The London Theatres.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Saturday, Nov. 4, 1871.

Long before this reaches you, you will have read Mr. GLADSTONE'S speech at Greenwich, though I doubt whether, if you did, you found it particularly interesting. It is admitted on all hands to have been, with one unfortunate little slip, a wise and moderate speech, but its merit, from a political point of view, lay in its level tameness and uncontroversial commonplace. It would have been absurd for the Premier, on such an occasion, to plunge into the fray, to batter his opponents, and disclose his plans for the coming campaign in Parliament. He had to make his peace not only with the mixed elements of his constituency at Greenwich, but with the different sections of his own party throughout the country, and least said was therefore soonest mended. I think it may be said that he has put matters straight for himself and the Government, at least till Parliament meets in February, unless they should fall into some new and portentous blunder. But of course this is only a temporary victory; the real battle will turn on the measures which the Government are now framing in almost daily Cabinet councils. Mr. GLADSTONE has cleared the way and secured a good start for his proposals, whatever they may be. The speech as delivered, notwithstanding its moderation, was highly effective. His sonorous voice swelled his full periods with a kind of majesty, and the vast multitude standing before him in strained attention added, of course, to the impressiveness of the scene. It was at one moment rather a toss-up whether there would not be a row, or at least an attempt at one; but happily the beginning of disorder was quelled, and the meeting passed off peacefully. I fancy Mrs. GLADSTONE'S presence by her husband's side had more to do with this result than the escort of mounted Police.

MR. GLADSTONE AND THE FREE-THOUGHT REPUBLICANS.

Perhaps the only slip that Mr. GLADSTONE made in his speech was his quotation from what he called "a questionable book," although, as he said, the lines which he recited contained "much good sense." It appears that the book is *The Secularists' Manual of Songs and Ceremonies*, which has been printed under the especial sanction of BRADLAUGH, the infidel lecturer and revolutionary spouter, for the use of the Free-thought Republicans. The verse which Mr. GLADSTONE quoted, is harmless in itself, but the context makes it clear that its purport is of a somewhat dangerous and violent character. It is a parody of "God Save the Queen," in which the people are called upon to "save themselves," and in which it is intimated plainly enough that they are shamefully pillaged by those above them and must compel their despoilers to restore the plunder. In a literary point of view, there is (if we except one or two well-known poems) little merit in the book, nor is there anything new either in its religious or political doctrines. It is simply a sort of hymn-book for the use of atheists, and the greater part of it is much the same skimble-skamble stuff as an orthodox hymn-book. It was very foolish of Mr. GLADSTONE to go out of his way to connect himself with such a book, and he should at least have chosen a stronger and less ambiguous word than "questionable" to express his dissent from the doctrines set forth in it. He has given it a prestige which it would never have otherwise obtained, and mixed himself up with a very rowdy and offensive set of people in a way which is extremely confusing for the working classes, (who will now be apt to think that the Premier goes a certain way with the Free-thought anarchists,) and very alarming for other folk. The most charitable conclusion is, that Mr. GLADSTONE had only just dipped into the volume, and had not come across such passages as the following:

A NEW DOXOLOGY.

Praise Court, from which our riches flow!
Praise it ye "clerics" here below!
Praise it ye "nobs"—a mighty host!
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Praise God, for that our worn-out creed,
By which we yes the people "bleed;"
And let us raise our voices higher—
Praise Him for brimstone and hell-fire!

Praise God above, praise Court below,
Praise God in haste, and praise Court slow,
Praise God aloud, but praise Court most,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost!

Another parody on the familiar child's song, "My Mother," runs thus:

What book has been the pregnant cause
Of cruel and tyrannic laws,
And filled with victims death's wide jaws?
The Bible.

What's been a fruitful cause of cant,
Hypocrisy, deception, rant,
And madness oft, when brains were scant?
The Bible.

REVOLUTIONARY STIMULANTS.

The general drift of the book is to bring the ordinary principles of religion into contempt, and to inspire the working classes with a deep sense of personal injury and injustice. No doubt they have much to complain of, and there is much which society can yet do for them. But there can hardly be two opinions as to the expediency of exasperating the lower orders by setting before them thrilling pictures of their misery, with the suggestion that it is all due to their rulers and the upper classes, and that a good revolution would set everything straight, and provide everybody with bread and beer. Such lines as, "Base oppressors, leave your slumbers!" "Tyrants quail! the dawn is breaking!" &c., sufficiently indicate the spirit in which the working classes are urged to bestir themselves.

"The seed ye sow another reaps,
The wealth ye find another keeps,
The robes ye make another wears,
The arms ye forge another bears!"

I will give one or two more extracts from this Manual, because it is really a matter of historical interest to know the kind of songs the English working men sing at their meetings. Here are a couple of verses of ERNEST JAMES' "Song of the Lower Classes:"

"We plow and sow, we're so very, very low,
That we delve in the dirty clay,
Till we bless the plain with the golden grain,
And the vale with the fragrant hay.
Our place we know, we're so very low,
'Tis down at the landlord's feet,
We're not too low the grain to grow,
But too low the bread to eat.

Down, down we go, we're so very, very low,
To the hall of the deep-sunk mines,
But we gather the proudest gems that glow
When the crown of a despot shines.
And where'er he lacks, upon our backs
Fresh loads he deigns to lay;
We're far too low to vote the tax,
But not too low to pay."

Of another piece, called "The People," I don't know the authorship, but it has a lively ring about it:

"Some talks will sing 'God bless the King,'
Or Queen at public dinners,
And drink the health of doubtful saints,
And very certain sinners.
But we do not toast to-night
The Court, or camp, or steeple;
We here a different theme indite—
'The people, boys! The people!'

If history we read aright,
'Tis plain unto my seeming,
One half the troubles of this world
Arise from rulers' scheming.
They plot to work each other ill;
Their subjects treat like cattle—
Yet when they're in a mess, expect
That we will fight the battle."

I must not forget to mention that the National Secular Society, of which Mr. BRADLAUGH is the chief prophet, and of which this volume contains the creed and psalmody, has also certain political objects in view, of which the chief one is redistribution of property and the abolition of the House of Lords. On the whole, it would have been as well if Mr. GLADSTONE had not gone out of his way to thrust so inflammatory a publication into the hands of his working-class hearers; they are sufficiently plied with such stimulants already.

THE SPREAD OF REPUBLICANISM.

It is impossible to estimate the exact number of Mr. BRADLAUGH'S followers, but there can be no doubt of the steady and rapid spread of republican feeling in this country. We cannot fail to detect it in every class of society, and more in the upper ranks than in the lower. Englishmen are all republicans at heart, because they are republicans in fact. They represent a much more genuine and thorough republic at this moment than any so-called republic in Europe. The only thing that will check the quiet development of republicanism will be the formation of a noisy republican party, eager for hasty changes and violent measures. Indeed, this effect has already been produced. The republican demonstrations of the Summer and Autumn, coinciding with the Queen's illness, have undoubtedly occasioned a kind of reaction. Something of remorse has come over the people at the hard words used about the Queen and the royal family. Her Majesty's sickness carried thoughts back through her prosperous and peaceful reign, and gratitude for the past was mingled with apprehensions for the future. Here, again, Mr. GLADSTONE has, for the present, had another piece of good luck. The unpopularity of the royal family must always react upon the Government. The country is just in the mood to be reconciled with the Court, and if Mr. GLADSTONE can only open the session with the announcement of some satisfactory arrangement for the future conduct of State ceremonials and the useful employment of the Prince of WALES, he will find it very smooth sailing.

THE QUEEN AND THE PRINCE OF WALES.

This subject has already been under the consideration of the Cabinet at several meetings, and the Queen, I am told, has declared her willingness to agree to any plan that may be thought for the best. By his position the Prince is precluded from any very active participation in military administration, and it would certainly not conduce to his popularity if he were to exhibit too strong a bias in that direction. He had better leave the army and navy to his brothers, one of whom, Prince ARTHUR, is already an accomplished and experienced officer, and the other, the Duke of EDINBURGH, a naval commander who has carried his flag round the world. There is, however, a good deal of public ceremonial which is not without its uses, and which the Prince could go through very well. The great provincial towns are assuming a remarkable importance, both socially and politically, in this country, and though there is no demand or necessity to dethrone the capital, it is clear that the public assurances of royalty, if they are to be worth anything, must not be confined to London. The railway has made progresses less costly than they were in ELIZABETH'S day, and it would be well if England's future King saw more of England and gave more of England the chance of seeing him and his state. It is probable that the arrangements now in contemplation will include an addition to the Prince's income, partly out of the Queen's purse, and partly, perhaps, at the national expense. As I have said before, the Civil List is grudged not only because the people think they do not get a sufficient return for it; give them their fill of the show they pay for and the money would be forthcoming without any bother. In health the Queen is much improved. A few days on the high hill-side above Balmoral have greatly invigorated her, and she has again been able to join her family at the dinner-table. Her physician, Sir W. JENNER, has given an authoritative denial to the false and mischievous report that the Queen's illness was in any way connected with her vaccination, which took place some months before.

IRISH ARRESTS.

I am sorry to say that matters are again wearing a very unpleasant aspect in the sister island. There have been some bad murders, or agrarian outrages, as they are politely called, lately. An old farmer who owned a bit of land which he had given his tenant (who was also his nephew) notice to quit, was killed at his own fireside by a pistol-shot through the window; the nephew has been arrested. Another farmer going home with his wife was offered a lift in a passing car; he accepted, and had hardly seated himself when one of the men on the car sprang down and brained him with a stone. The victim in this case, who was not killed outright, had been guilty of bidding more than somebody else at a sale of land. Yet another farmer, on his way to mass, was shot dead by three men armed with revolvers. Here again the outrage is described as agrarian, but it will be observed that in each of these cases the attack was made, not by tenants or a landlord, but by farmers on each other. It is not enough that the landlord should be compelled to part with his land under various restrictions and conditions, but the competition of farmers against farmers is interdicted under the penalty of instant death, without the benefit of Judge, jury or priest. A man bids at a sale and the rival he bids against shoots him like a dog as he goes home, and thinks he has a perfect right to do so, while the people look on at these abominable deeds paralyzed or sympathetic. It is reported that the Ribband Society has thrown out a branch, nicknamed the Rag. The trial of KELLY for the murder of Head Constable TALBOT, at Dublin, has also excited some uncomfortable symptoms. There can be no question that TALBOT was deliberately assassinated in the streets of Dublin because he had been active against the Fenians, and had as a spy produced damaging evidence as to their plots. Before he died he identified KELLY as his murderer. Each day the prisoner is conveyed to the Court-house by three troops of cavalry and a large force of mounted police and constables on cars. After what happened at Manchester and Clerkenwell, these precautions are natural, even if needless, and the authorities are right to err on the safe side. The bad part of the story is the open sympathy of the Dublin mob, or portions of it, with the supposed murderer, and the cowardice of the Dublin citizens, who have resorted to every dodge and pretext to escape being included in the jury at the trial. The prisoner's counsel has raised a question as to whether TALBOT died of his wounds or of unskillful surgical treatment, and the medical witnesses seem to be affected by the general terror, and disposed to fall in with the case for the defense. Meanwhile the priests are seizing the opportunity to try to compel the Government to surrender the education of the Irish people absolutely into their hands as the price of their loyalty, with a significant threat that if the price is withheld the Government must take the consequences. I fancy the Government, under Mr. LOWE'S influence, is firm in refusing the compact, and it is quite certain that Parliament would never sanction it, even if they were weak enough to yield. Altogether Ireland is again in a rather effervescent condition, and if anybody in America would like a little excitement, and finds even the South dull, now that the President has taken the Kuklux in hand, he had better try the Emerald Isle for a change. For an old country it is lively enough.

THE THEATRES.

The theatrical novelties are a revival of "The Tempest," and a new comedy, "On Guard," by Mr. W. S. GILBERT, at the Court Theatre. Pictorially "The Tempest" is splendid enough, with such taste and fancy also as well as splendor in the scenery, but histrionically there is not much to be said for it. It is not in itself a good acting play, and what is most wanted for it is pure and distinct elocution, and for the most part the company at the Queen's is quite incapable of reciting blank verse. Miss HODSON is a very dainty *Ariel*, singing the dirge of the pars charmingly, though the effect of "Where the Bee Sucks" is somewhat weakened by a too corporeal bat, astride which the sprite sits. Mr. RIGNOLD has lavished a good deal of pains and grotesque fancy in his make-up of *Caliban*, with a huge head, tusks and claws, which even for a monster would bear clipping. Mr. GILBERT'S comedy is an evident imitation of the late Mr. ROBERTSON'S expertness in construction and happy smartness of dialogue. The story is simply this: A pretty little flirt, who means no harm, but can't help using her eyes on every man that comes within their range, is sincerely attached to *Lieut. Warrington*, a young officer, and is engaged to him. At the same time, and without his knowledge, she has been casting her glamours over her cousin; he is a bit of a rogue, and has an eye to her money. *Baby Boodle*, (a heavy dragoon,) and an African traveler, has proposed and been rejected. *Warrington*, knowing his general disposition, but not aware of his precise relations with the other gentlemen, leaves her in charge of the traveler when he goes to Gibraltar to join his regiment. The traveler is true to his trust, but his watch exasperates the flirt, who dismisses him, while the knavish cousin poisons *Warrington's* mind against him by insinuating that his supposed friend was seeking the girl for himself. Of course everything is satisfactorily cleared up in the end. There is here a good plot, with fine scope both for incident and character, but Mr. GILBERT does not know how to turn it to account. He faintly outlines the story, in a lazy, indiscriminate way, and the characters are little better than shadowy caricatures. *Baby Boodle* is a poor imitation of *Dundreary*. To-night we are to have CONGREVE'S "Love for Love"—in its day the most popular comedy ever written—at the Gaiety, and a melodrama founded on *Edwin Drood*, at the Surrey. On Monday the French company begins its performances, and a German buffo company is also to make a start the same evening. We shall thus have French, German and Italian performances to choose from, beside our own English ones. F. H. J.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Statues From Connecticut—Report From the Tunis Expedition—Sale of Military Lands—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—When Congressmen return they will find two new statues in the old Hall. They are the contribution of the State of Connecticut to the national gallery, and have just arrived. Mr. S. WARREN, of the Batterson Monumental Works, Hartford, came in charge of them, and today delivered them over to Architect CLARKE in good order, who is hereafter charged with their careful handling and keeping. One is the statue of SHERMAN, the first Governor of Connecticut, and the other of the soldier-artist, Col. TRUMBULL, who painted the three historical groups of portraits in the rotunda of the Capitol. They are both by the same sculptor, young Mr. IVES, who also modeled the bronze statue of Bishop BROWNELL, in the Trinity College grounds at Hartford. They are heroic size, eight feet high. They are so far unboxed and in perfect order. From the imperfect view thus obtained, it was evident that in point of artistic merit the statues are scarcely a match for the contribution of Rhode Island. Lacking, at least, the careful attention and finish and elaboration of details of the statues of GREENE and WILLIAMS. They cost to the State about $17,000, delivered here.

NAVAL REPORT FROM TUNIS.

Commodore JAMES R. M. MULLANY, who has recently returned home in the United States Steamer *Richmond*, has submitted to the Navy Department an interesting report on the political condition of the Barbary States. He reports that since the Spanish invasion the most turbulent of these States has been perfectly quiet. Tripoli suffered severely from drouth during the past Summer, which compelled the people to send their mules, cattle, &c., to Malta and other places to save their lives. The people of Tripoli sometimes resist the exactions of the Pasha's oppressive taxation, but not very successfully, as they must trade with and through the City of Tripoli, which is under the Sultan's control. The Regency of Tunis is ruled by a Bey, who acknowledges fealty to the Sultan only. In Church matters the country has been tranquil since the insurrection of 1864, the only foreign complication existing is one with Italy, which has progressed to arbitration, now in a state of suspension, owing to the failure of the two Governments thus far to agree upon an umpire. The financial difficulties of the Regency are very great, and the Government has resisted all the methods resorted to by a mixed Commission, composed chiefly of foreign consuls resident at the capital, for the purpose of inaugurating financial reform. Considerable progress has been made, however, in judicial reform. In all the States Commodore MULLANY reports the most friendly feeling toward the United States.

ARRIVAL OF SENATOR SCHURZ.

Senator SCHURZ arrived here this morning for the purpose of selecting a house for the residence of his family during the coming session of Congress. The Senator will shortly deliver a lecture here in one of the regular courses.

DISMANTLEMENT OF OLD FORTS.

By an act of Congress, dated Feb. 27, 1871, provision was made that the War Department should turn over to the Interior Department certain reservations of forts, no longer needed, and the Secretary of the Interior was instructed to have them divided by surveys into forty acre lots and appraised and sold. These forts were Wayne and Smith in Arkansas, Sabine and Jessup in Louisiana, Zarra in Kansas, a portion of the Abercrombie reservation in Minnesota, Lane and Walla Walla in Oregon, Camp McGarry in Nevada, Sumner in New-Mexico, and a portion of Bridger. These forts have all been turned over to the Interior Department by the War Department, except where some delay was provided for in the law. Some of them are on land that had been surveyed before the forts were located. Surveys have been ordered of some of the others, and of one, Fort McGarry, a survey is impracticable, owing to its being waste lands, remote from any of the survey lines that have been run. Fort Smith was on lands bought by the War Department of individuals, and the validity of its title is either in doubt, or has not been proved. Fort Walla Walla, instead of being in Oregon, as the law described, is in Washington Territory. Besides the act made no provision for the expenses of appraisement, and so the Interior Department has found it impossible to sell the lands, as the act contemplates, and cannot do it without additional legislation, which will be recommended. The whole case is explained in the report of the Commissioner of the Central Land Office. Some story has been rather incoherently told about fraudulent speculation in the sale of Fort Gibson under this act, which is evidently false, as the fort is not in the list, and is in possession of the War Department.

A DESPICABLE ADVENTURER.

A little sensation was created in the Treasury Department here yesterday by the arrest of a man named HOOVER, charged with blackmailing female clerks. This man not long since occupied the lofty position of Pound-master to the now defunct Corporation of Washington. Being thrown out of this by the new Government, and not being willing to accept the invitation of the Board of Public Works to earn an honest living in breaking stone for streets, he resorted to the nefarious practice of raising money by pretending to an influence he did not possess, the exercise of which would procure situations in the Treasury for anxious applicants, who gave him money outright to the extent of a month's pay in one of the instances. Of course the places were never procured, and on complaint he refunded the ill-gotten money. He then laid another game by informing a young lady in one of the bureaus that he had knowledge of her indiscretions, which he would reveal to the Secretary unless a certain sum was forthcoming. But he made a mistake, for the lady defied him, made complaint against him, and yesterday he was arrested while in the Treasury Department on a warrant from the District-Attorney, and he will be tried for obtaining money under false pretenses.

THE FORTHCOMING REPORTS.

The Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Interior and the Postmaster-General are engaged in preparation of their annual reports. They will all be characteristically brief, those of the War and Navy Departments in particular.

THE INDIAN PEACE COMMISSION.

The vacancy which has continued so long in the Board of Indian Peace Commissioners by the resignation of HENRY S. LANE, was filled today by appointment of N. J. TORREY, of Circleville, Ohio. Mr. TORREY was for many years President of the State Board of Agriculture in Ohio, and has been identified with most of the efforts for promotion of agricultural interests in that State. He is a man thoroughly honest, and at home is known by the sobriquet of "Old Honesty."

The Medical Association of the District of Columbia have held another meeting on the everlasting question of admitting colored doctors to full membership. Last Spring the Association got rid of the question temporarily by voting not to enforce the rules against any of its members who might consult with licensed colored physicians prior to the annual October meetings. At the October meeting a resolution was introduced which would have the effect to lay aside the question indefinitely in the same manner, that is, the Society would stand in the attitude of authorizing a violation of the rule which it refused to repeal. It would not admit colored men, but if a member violated a rule by consulting with one of them, nothing should be done about it. It required a month's notice before action could be taken on this resolution, and the meeting was held yesterday. One of the members who was opposed to receding even so much as this from the old position of the Society, with respect to the subject, moved to lay it on the table. The members who favor the full admission of colored men, voted with the supporters of this last proposal, and the resolution was laid on the table. This was far from a satisfactory condition to leave the question in, so a motion to reconsider the last vote was made, and thus the subject goes over for two weeks. In the meantime a young practitioner having been fined $50 for practising without a license from the Society, has taken an appeal, and the decision of the Courts in his case will determine whether the association has any authority which anybody is bound to respect, and if it has not, one of the bills before Congress for its abolition will stand a good chance of passing.

The carpet used in the Senate last Winter has been put down again this Fall, and as the desks are not yet in place, visitors are locating places occupied by the desks of different Senators by noting the stains on the carpet made by tobacco juice. When there is any doubt they begin at Senator CHANDLER'S place, which is unmistakably marked and count to the one in doubt.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

MEETING OF THE CLAIM COMMISSIONERS.

The American and British Claims Commission met today at noon. All the members were present, Judge FRAZER having arrived after a detention on the railroad. The business which has thus far occupied their time is of no public interest, it being merely as to legal practice and routine. The Commission will on Friday adjourn until the early part of December, when the principles of international law will be determined involving the disposal of a large number of cases. About eighteen cases of British subjects have been presented to the Commission, but none from Americans. It may not be generally known that claims from the latter against Great Britain must be filed within six months from the 26th of September last; in other words, claims must be filed by the 26th of March next. Some of the newspapers have erroneously stated that the Commission have decided that the claims of persons heretofore British subjects but who have become naturalized American citizens shall not be presented to them. The truth is the instruction to that effect came from Her Majesty's Government in response to an inquiry by Mr. HOWARD, the British agent. This instruction will govern his conduct in the presentation of claims.

APPOINTMENTS.

The following revenue appointments were made today: JAMES A. TOMLINSON, Assistant Assessor for Kansas; LOUIS H. MAYER, Assessor for the First District of Mobile, Ala.; ERNEST F. BARRON, Gauger for the Twenty-third New-York District.

The Victory of the People.

From Harper's Weekly.

The significance of the political victory in New-York can scarcely be exaggerated. Both the great parties were interested in the contest, but the popular system itself was more interested. The City of New-York had always been considered to be, as it undoubtedly is, an exceptional community. The popular system might fail there, it was thought, and yet not be vitally touched. It was a City, it was alleged, largely composed of a doubtful foreign population, of a character to be swayed by wholly personal and mercenary considerations, and not by great principles nor by reason. The majority, it was often asserted, was a rabble, ruled by demagogues at their pleasure. There can be no hope for the City of New-York, it was said, except in a vigilance committee, which is a forcible revolution, or a radical limitation of the suffrage. This was unquestionably the feeling of very many grave and sensible persons when the sun rose on the morning of election day, a day which has probably greatly deepened their respect for human nature, and their confidence in the appeal to the people.

First of all, the result is the triumph of a free and fearless Press. In surveying the field let no one forget that its glory is largely due to the courage, the fidelity, and the ability of one great journal, the NEW-YORK TIMES. The battle was, in fact, at the outset a contest between that fundamental principle of a popular Government, the freedom of the Press, and that ancient and fatal foe of republics, corruption. The mean tyranny of Tammany had bought and frightened and silenced many organs of public opinion, as they were called, and it was sure that if it could only muzzle these it still spoke independently, its power was absolutely secure. It knew that the tongue, the pen, and the pencil are stronger and more durable than adamant or brass, and that there is no tyranny, however ruthless and coarse and inexorable, that those little wands cannot destroy. Therefore it wished to paralyze them all. It struck at the free Press in its infamous code amendments, and in dastardly blows at private business, but it struck in vain. A great journal, unbought and unterrified, led the assault, which grew more and more terrible, until this vilest although formidable despotism of the Tammany Ring, the reckless tyranny of thieves and blackguards, fell before the wrath of honest citizens.

It is not difficult to refine upon the result, and to perceive that all motives were not pure nor all hands clean. But the chief lesson is this, that in a system founded upon popular consent great evils in a manner tend to cure themselves by developing hostilities among themselves. In other words, slavery cannot always be united. It is distrustful and blind, and its dissatisfied element will combine with honesty and intelligence to work a reform. If it be said—and there is great force in the remark—that a victory for absolute honesty and intelligence is not won by such an alliance, the reply is, that in political contests we may wisely be content with something less than victories of absolute right, if only entrenched wrong is hurled from power. The moral stimulus that follows is of incalculable benefit.

But the victory has been won only by the most unprecedented activity and zeal and union of all honest men in the City. They have learned their power, and let us hope that they have also learned the conditions of its efficiency. If we would have a free government, we must pay the price, and the price is care, and thought, and trouble, and labor and sacrifice. TWEED and the Tammany Ring ruled the City because thousands of intelligent and refined persons hated politics, and thought that no gentleman could touch them without contamination, and recoiled from the name of politician, and thought that the Tammany Ring was no worse than those who would break it. But the Tammany Ring, and all similar political Rings, make politics disgusting and repulsive for this very purpose. They wish to disgust and to repel honest and decent men, for then they are sure of having their own unclean way. And every honest man who suffers himself to be repelled, who refrains from an active share in politics, who never goes to the primaries nor to the conventions, betrays honesty and his country, and bends himself and others to such a miserable yoke as that which has just been spurned.

Let those who have now for the first time actively engaged in politics remember that this victory is won for the year only, not for next year nor for future years. It has merely shown how victories may be won. The same interest and attention and zeal, the same willingness to bear and forbear, the same rigorous resolution that votes shall be honestly cast and honestly counted, will save the future as it has saved the present. Those who now for the first time have done what every American citizen ought always to do, have learned also for the first time what they have always heard without comprehending—that eternal vigilance is the price of liberty. It will be the fault of no class but that of honest and intelligent men if another tyranny as foul as that of Tammany ever again enslaves the City.

Cholera in the Harbor—Three More Deaths—Twelve New Cases.

Yesterday morning at an early hour the Health Officer's Assistant, Dr. MOSHER, was on board the *Delaware*, and made a rigid inspection, which was repeated two or three times again, when he found it necessary to remove the following persons, who showed symptoms of cholera, to the West Bank Hospital: Laura Petersen, Johanna Neilson, Johanna Malvern, John Mahmen, Theresa Flora Elbing, Nathan Rosenberg, August Schultz, Anna Schultz, Peter N. Larsen, Peter C. Aisen, Carl Subs, Frederick Hohn, Bertha Hohn, Marie Mewry and Franz Cobb. This having been accomplished it was deemed advisable to remove the *Delaware* to the Lower Bay in order to facilitate the transfer of any others who may be attacked with the disease on board that vessel. The more timid of the Staten Islanders were delighted when the news of the *Delaware's* departure was made known. The arrival of the *Humboldt*, which is expected in a few days, is looked forward to with no small amount of interest. She belongs to the same line as the *Franklin* and comes from the same ports. She will doubtless undergo a most rigid overhauling from the Quarantine officials, who are now thoroughly prepared for any emergency.

Two deaths occurred on board the *Delaware* yesterday of persons who were well the day before; they were CHRISTINA ANDREAS WARBELOW, aged eighty-five years, and MATHILDA PETERSEN, aged four years. IDA NOETZEL, aged sixteen years, died yesterday at West Bank. Dr. REID reports that he wants more nurses, and that he fears two more deaths will occur immediately. The nurses will be sent today from Ward's Island. Medicine and other stores are also called for by the doctor. Presents are being received from the citizens. The cause of the sudden breaking out of the disease is said to have been the closing of the hatches in a rain-storm.

END OF THE VIADUCT SCHEME.

A General Resignation of the Directors—The Financial Condition "All that Could be Expected."

The Board of Directors of the New-York (Viaduct) Railway Company met yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, HENRY HILTON, President, in the chair. The meeting was held in pursuance of a call from the President.

The President laid before the Board a report of the action thus far taken in furthering the building of the railway, the report being illustrated by plans of the projected work, and accompanied by diagrams exhibiting the surveys thus far made.

W. BUTLER DUNCAN, the treasurer of the Company, reported that the financial condition of the enterprise was all that could be expected, and that it promised soon to be all that the most sanguine friends of the scheme had ever anticipated.

In view of an important change about to be instituted in the Board, the President was directed to suspend all employes of the company for the present except the Secretary and the President's clerk.

A resolution was passed appointing Messrs. Edward B. Wesley, William R. Travers, John Jacob Astor, W. Butler Duncan and Joseph Seligman a committee to concert a plan for the reorganization of the Board of Directors, and to report the result of their action at the next meeting of the Board of Directors.

To assist the Committee in carrying out the plan intrusted to it, a suggestion was made that all the members of the Board present place their resignations in the hands of the Committee. This suggestion was immediately carried into effect.

The Committee was then instructed to notify the absent members of the Board of Directors of the action taken by the members present, and to receive all the resignations that may be sent to it from the absent members.

It was stated that there is but little doubt that by Monday next the Committee will have received the resignations of all the directors.

The Board then adjourned.

The following are the names of some of the members of the present Board of Directors: Wm. M. Tweed, John J. Bradley, Richard B. Connolly, A. Oakey Hall, Peter B. Sweeny, Hugh Smith, Richard O'Gorman and Henry Smith.

The Yosemite Valley—Lecture by Rev. E. C. Sweetser.

A numerous audience assembled in the Bleecker-street Universalist Church, last evening, to listen to a lecture by Rev. E. C. SWEETSER on the "Yosemite Valley and the Big-tree Groves of California." The lecturer commenced with a humorous description of the journey on horseback to the celebrated valley by the party of which he was a member. He graphically described the various objects of interest there, and, though going over what has long been a beaten track, gave interest to his descriptions by the many poetical fancies with which he adorned them. There was much of brilliant imagery, and occasionally deep thought in the lecture, but whether humorous, grave or gay, it was always interesting. With something of the flavor of the pulpit in them, the speaker's manner and elocution were easy and agreeable, and a round of hearty applause greeted the close of his effort.

At the conclusion of the lecture some fine stereoscopic views of various points of interest in the valley and among the big trees were exhibited.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

Hon. BENJAMIN F. WADE, of Ohio, is at the Astor House.

Capt. E. R. MOODIE, of the steam-ship *Cuba*, is at the Brevoort House.

Sir ALEX. T. and Lady GALT, of Canada, are at the Gilsey House.

JOHN B. GOUGH will deliver his new lecture, "Will It Pay?" in Cooper Institute this evening.

The German confectioners had their fifth annual ball at the Union Assembly Rooms last evening. They had a delightful time.

Mayor J. D. HOPKINS, Mayor of Utica, and Ex-United States Senator JOHN H. RICE, of Maine, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel.

Ex-Gov. HORATIO SEYMOUR and Gen. JAS. NEGLEY, of Pittsburg, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Judge J. J. MONELL, of Fishkill, and Rev. PELHAM WILLIAMS, of Boston, are at the Albemarle Hotel.

Col. JAS. O. DEAN, of California, and Col. S. E. TEMPLE, of Boston, are at the Grand Central Hotel.

The German lager-beer brewers of New-York, Staten Island and Morrisania, have subscribed $4,900 in aid of the Chicago sufferers.

Recorder A. POLLOK, of Washington, and Gen. FRANKLIN TOWNSEND, of Albany, are at the St. James Hotel.

In the case of BREEN *vs.* RICH, reported in yesterday's TIMES, the jury found a verdict for the defendant.

The Captain and Purser of the Hamburg steam-ship *Silesia* will accept our thanks for valued additions to our foreign files.

Congressman A. D. HUBBARD, of Connecticut, and Ex-Controller LUCIUS ROBINSON, of Elmira, are at the Hoffman House.

Gen. A. W. TOMPKINS, of Rhode Island, and Col. JAMES BIDDLE, of Detroit, are at the New-York Hotel.

The frigate *Wabash* will not probably leave before Saturday. Yesterday a number of visitors went on board.

Judge BEDFORD remarked yesterday that he expected the whole day would be occupied on Monday by the arguments on the Haggerty bail case.

Yesterday afternoon an unknown man fell through the dock at Castle Garden into the water and was drowned. The body has not been recovered.

Dr. THOMS will give an account of the progress of temperance in the Old World in the Mariners' Temple, corner of Oliver and Henry streets, this evening at 7½ P. M.

The German Stone-cutters' Benevolent Association gave an annual ball at the Casino, in Houston-street, last evening, and enjoyed themselves vastly.

On account of the closing of the McComb's Dam Bridge across the Harlem River, the only way of reaching Fordham at Jerome-park is by way of Harlem Bridge.

The shooting galleries, of which such a number sprang up suddenly in Chatham-street a short time since, have all died out for want of support, and the stores are mainly unoccupied.

Dr. MARSH, Deputy Coroner, made a post-mortem examination, yesterday, of the body of CHARLES G. JACKSON, at St. Luke's Hospital, with the result of showing that he died from a fracture of the skull.

FRANCIS M. HAWLEY, of Connecticut; CHARLEY P. REDMOND, of Arkansas, and MARK M. POMEROY, of Wisconsin, were yesterday admitted as attorneys of this State by the Supreme Court, General Term.

The unknown man brought from the Twenty-ninth Precinct Station on Tuesday, to Bellevue Hospital, suffering from apoplexy, has been recognized as Judge FREDERICK VOSE, of Walpole, N. H.

The Lord Bishop of Litchfield was among the passengers by the *Java* for Liverpool yesterday. He was hospitably entertained by Rev. Dr. DIX, at Trinity rectory, in Varick-street, on Tuesday evening.

The wife of Gen. JAMES WOOD, Senator elect from Livingston County, died yesterday at the residence of her brother, Dr. HARRIS, in Twenty-eighth-street. Mrs. WOOD was the sister of the late Gov. YOUNG.

Coroner SCHIRMER held an inquest, yesterday, in the case of SARAH BREHAN, No. 131 West Twenty-seventh-street, who died from burns received a week ago by her clothes taking fire. Verdict, accidental death.

Yesterday four prisoners escaped from Ludlow-street Prison. Their means of escape and their names are shrouded in mystery, as the officers connected with the jail declined to furnish any information on the subject.

The Chamber of Commerce have received communications from the Governors of Michigan and Wisconsin, gratefully acknowledging the contributions received by the Chamber for the relief of the sufferers by the forest fires.

The Executive Committee of the National Tobacco Association have arranged to hold their next annual meeting on Dec. 6, at Washington, D. C. The most important business will be the settlement of the question of the tax on tobacco.

In the Court of General Sessions, yesterday, before Judge BEDFORD, ALBERT FISCH pleaded guilty to stealing a horse and wagon, and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

HENRY CLINTON, being detected in the act of stealing the clothing of his fellow lodgers, at No. 141 Washington-street early yesterday morning, was arrested, and being arraigned before Justice DOWLING was committed for trial.

An inquest was held yesterday by Coroner SCHIRMER in the case of NICHOLAS PARELL, who died from injuries received on the 5th inst. by being run over by a Third-avenue Railroad car. A verdict of accidental death was rendered.

Much of the recent filling in at the Battery which backed the stone abutments recently built, has been washed away, and at present large gaps exist between the shore and the water front.

The Young Men's Municipal Reform Association will hold a mass-meeting at Steinway Hall to-morrow evening, at which its President, Judge BARRETT, and other eminent speakers, will deliver addresses on the results of the election.

Capt. WALSH, of the Fourteenth Precinct, last night made a descent upon the faro bank No. 134 Bowery, and arrested seven persons, with the implements of the game. They will be arraigned at the Tombs Police Court this morning.

An application was made yesterday, before Judge BRADY, to vacate the assessment on the estate of JAMES DEAN, for the laying of Belgian pavement in Hudson-street, on the ground that the notice of assessment was not duly published. The Court reserved its decision.

The house wherein the murder of Mr. NATHAN took place is now being fitted up in gorgeous style and will be converted into a gambling-house. The room where the murder took place will be used for a faro game. Do the Police know it?

Yesterday morning a water main burst at the corner of Eighth-avenue and Fortieth-street, and caused a running brook in the street throughout the day. The power of the water was so great that all efforts to stop the leak were fruitless.

The horse disease, so severe a few months ago among the stock of the City railroad companies, has almost died out, and but few cases exist at present. Even in the Third-avenue stable, where the disease was most virulent, it has totally abated.

Seventeen delinquent policemen were on the calendar at Police Head-quarters yesterday, fifteen of whom were tried. Patrolman ANDREW RAE, of the Fifteenth Precinct, was charged with intoxication and the case was referred to the Board.

The foreman of the Grand Jury made a complaint to Judge BEDFORD, in the General Sessions, yesterday, of the cold in their room for the want of fuel. Judge BEDFORD said it was just as bad in the Court-room. He had written to the Sheriff to supply fuel for the Grand Jury, and he couldn't tell why it was not done.

Yesterday a burglar entered the residence of the late Dr. HUTCHINSON, No. 287 East Seventy-ninth-street, during the absence of Mrs. HUTCHINSON and the other inmates, but was discovered and arrested. He gave his name as JOHN PLOENS, and was held for examination at the Yorkville Police Court.

When patroling the North River, yesterday morning, Officers O'BRIEN and HUDSON started in pursuit of a small boat in which were two men, who pulled into a slip, and, jumping ashore, abandoned the boat to the Police, who found in it 600 pounds of sugar, which had evidently been stolen.

HENRY GIBSON and GEORGE GOSSEN, two pick-pockets, were arraigned, yesterday, before Justice DOWLING, upon complaint of WILLIAM HUNT, of No. 11 Marion-street, who charged them with picking his pocket of $150, while he was on an Eighth-avenue car. They were committed for trial.

The Young Men's Mission Society of the Stanton-street Baptist Church, had a pleasant reunion last evening in the basement of the church. The church is one of the oldest of the denomination in this City, having been established in 1823, and the Mission Society has had an existence of twenty-eight years.

The Dry Goods Clerks' Early-closing Association met at Plimpton Hall last evening and adopted a new constitution and by-laws, into which they have introduced the new feature of benevolence, thus making their organization doubly beneficial. Their membership continues to increase steadily.

An interesting lecture on "China, in its Political, Social and

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

At the Exchange yesterday, Nov. 15, V. K. STEVENSON & SON, B. P. FAIRCHILD, auctioneer, by order of the Supreme Court, in partition, under the direction of JOHN R. FELLOWS, Esq., referee, disposed of the following property belonging to the estate of MORITZ A. GERSCHEIDT, deceased: Premises No. 323 West Thirty-fifth-street, a four-story brick dwelling-house and lot, near Eighth-avenue, sold for $12,100, and purchased by A. L. GERSCHEIDT; premises No. 46 South Third-street, Brooklyn, a three-story brick dwelling-house and lot, sold for $6,250, same purchaser as above; premises No. 50 South Third-street, Brooklyn, a house and lot similar to above, sold for $6,250, and purchased by HENRY ALTENBRANDT; premises No. 275 South First-street, Brooklyn, a two-story frame house and lot, sold for $3,050, and purchased by MARTHA KUHNE. Also, a property embracing ten acres of cultivated land, with two houses thereon, located at or near the Four Corners in the town of Middletown, Richmond County, Staten Island. Sold for $17,800, and purchased by H. M. GERSCHEIDT. In addition to the above real estate business, WM. KENNELLY offered at public auction a three-story brick house and lot known as No. 294 Dean-street, Brooklyn, between Powers and Nevins streets, but the bids received not being considered sufficiently high, no sale was effected, and the property was withdrawn.

At a stock sale later in the day MULLER, WILKINS & Co. disposed of the following securities, at the percentage prices noted: $2,000 Third-avenue Railroad Company seven per cent. coupon bond, due January 1, 1890, interest January and July, sold at 101¼ per cent.; $2,000 Quincy and Toledo Railroad Company first mortgage bonds, due Nov. 1, 1890, interest May and November, $1,000 each, 87½ per cent.; 19 shares Great Western Marine Insurance Company, par $100 each, 119¼; 400 shares Manhattan Gas-light Company, par $50 each, 248 to 250; 50 shares Metropolitan Gas-light Company, $100 each, 171; 20 shares Mercantile Fire Insurance Company, $100 each, 65; 27 shares Mercantile Mutual Marine Insurance Company, $100 each, 45; 20 shares Central New-Jersey Land Improvement Company, $100 each, 70; 100 shares People's Gas-light Company, $10 each, 112½; $2,000 New-York Central Railroad Company 6s, 1887, interest June and Dec. 15, $2; 300 shares Metropolitan Gas-light Company, $16 each, 170 to 170½; 20 shares Manhattan Gas-light Company, $50 each, 250; and $22,000 South Carolina 6 per cent. new bonds, coupons January and July, sold at 28 to 29½.

Today, at the Exchange, the extensive sale in partition, by JOSEPH MCGUIRE, of desirably located City lots takes place, which will undoubtedly draw together a large number of buyers. The improved City real estate will also be offered by E. H. LUDLOW & Co., and by JAMES M. MILLER, situated respectively on One Hundred and Twentieth and on Fortieth streets.

Exchange Sales, Wednesday, Nov. 15.

NEW-YORK.

By V. K. Stevenson & Son—B. P. Fairchild, Auctioneer.

4-story brick house and lot, No. 323 West 35th-st., near 8th-av. $12,100

BROOKLYN, E. D.

By Same Auctioneers.

3-story brick house and lot, No. 46 South 3d-st.. $6,250
3-story brick house and lot, No. 50 South 3d-st.. 6,250
3-story frame house and lot, No. 275 South 1st-st. 3,050

CASTLETON, STATEN ISLAND.

By Same Auctioneers.

30 acres of land, with two large dwelling-houses thereon, situate at or near the four corners in the town of Middletown, Richmond County $17,800

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48th, 49th and 50th sts., near 5th-av., desirable leaseholds.
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Madison-av., Murray Hill—Splendid corner with stable lot.
Madison-av., below and contiguous to the Park—A number of fine houses.
Park av.—Very attractive corner and inside, medium size houses; bargains.
14th-st.—Handsome full size house; cheap.
22d-st.—Extra size house; 5th and 6th avs.
23d-st.—Splendid extra size house, suitable for a club.
31st-st.—Three-story, high stoop b. s.; bargain.
34th-st.—Attractive English basement, b. s. house.
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JOHNSON & MILLER
will positively sell at auction, without reserve,
ON TUESDAY, NOV. 22, 1871,
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MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.
DESIRABLE DWELLING ON 1ST-AV., between 120th and 121st sts., at auction.
E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction, on THURSDAY, Nov. 16, 1871, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, (Trinity Building,) New-York.
FIRST-AVENUE—The very desirable two-story, attic, and basement Frame Dwelling and Lot of Land, situate on the west side of 1st-av., 80.5 feet north of 120th-st. Lot is 18.9 feet in front, filled with brick, 21.6x33 feet, and extension of 14x15 feet; contains 12 rooms, gas, bath-room, water-closet, range, &c. Lot 25.2½ feet front and rear, by 100 feet in depth. $3,500 can remain on bond and mortgage, if desired.
Maps, &c., at No. 3 Pine-st., New-York.

HUGH N. CAMP, Auctioneer.
VALUABLE BUSINESS PROPERTY
AT AUCTION.
SUPREME COURT SALE.
HUGH N. CAMP, AUCTIONEER,
No. 106 Broadway.
M. A. LYNCH and HUGH N. CAMP will sell at auction, on Friday, Nov. 17, 1871, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the valuable business property situated on the south-west corner of Greenwich and Rector sts., and known as No. 92 Greenwich-st.
Maps and particulars at the auctioneer's office, No. 106 Broadway, corner of Pine-st.

BANKRUPT SALE.—UNITED STATES District Court for the Northern District of New-York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of WILLIAM JOHNSTON, an involuntary bankrupt.—By virtue and in pursuance of an order made in said proceedings at a Court of Bankruptcy, held at the United States Court-room, in the City of Buffalo, in said district, on the 30th day of October, A. D. 1871, present, Hon. Nathan K. Hall, Judge—I, William H. Ross Lewin, the assignee of said bankrupt, duly appointed in said proceedings, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises hereinafter described, No. 436 Greenwich-street, in the City of New-York, on the 21st day of November, 1871, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the following described premises to wit: All that certain house and lot of land and premises situated on the south-westerly corner of Greenwich and Vestry streets, in the Fifth Ward of the City of New-York, within the bounds, and containing as follows to wit: Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line or side of Vestry-street with the westerly line or side of Greenwich-street; running thence westerly along the southerly side of Vestry-street, eighty feet, to the wall of the house now known as No. 51 Vestry-street, now or late belonging to the estate of Samuel Thompson, deceased; thence southerly along the said wall, twenty-five feet; thence easterly, parallel with Vestry-street, eighty feet, to the westerly side of Greenwich-street; thence northerly, along the westerly side of Greenwich-street, to the point or place of beginning, the southerly wall of the house on said lot being a party wall, and the southern boundary line of said lot running through the centre of said party wall.—Dated Rochester, Oct. 25, 1871.
WILLIAM H. ROSS LEWIN, Assignee, &c.

FIFTY-FIFTH-STREET.—SUPREME Court, City and County of New-York.—THE BOWLING-GREEN SAVINGS BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK against LOUIS L. TODD and MARY ELIZABETH, his wife, and others.—In pursuance of a judgment of the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, made in the above entitled action, I, James H. Coleman, the referee in said judgment named, will expose to sale at public auction at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on Friday, the 1st day of December, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon, by Joseph McGuire, auctioneer, the following described premises, viz.: All those three certain lots of land situated in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New-York, and bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the southerly side of Fifty-fifth-street, distant 325 feet westerly from the south-westerly corner of Tenth-avenue and Fifty-fifth-street, running thence westerly along the southerly side of Fifty-fifth-street seventy-five feet, thence southerly and parallel with Tenth-avenue one hundred feet five inches to the centre line of the block between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets, thence easterly along the said centre line of the block seventy-five feet, thence northerly and parallel with Tenth-avenue one hundred feet five inches to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less. Dated New-York, Nov. 9, 1871. JAMES H. COLEMAN, Referee.
CULLEN & MCGOWAN, Attorneys for plaintiffs.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

WOOLEN MILL FOR SALE.

The undersigned, assignee in bankruptcy of LOUIS M. OBERHOFER, will sell at auction on THURSDAY, Nov. 23, 1871, at 10 o'clock, at Canterbury, Conn., upon the premises, the remaining property of said bankrupt, to wit:
A two-set fancy cassimere mill, complete, with stone dam and good water privilege, stone-picker house, suitable buildings and tenements, and about sixty acres of land, and two complete sets of fancy cassimere machinery for the manufacture of all kinds of fancy cassimeres; also, mansion-house, barn, &c., and about six acres of land.
The above will be sold subject to certain mortgages, a part of which can probably lie for a long while.
Also, certain personal property and stock, &c., worth the attention of store-keepers, farmers, and others.
The above will be sold, without reserve, to the highest bidder. Further particulars may be had of SOLOMON LUCAS or HIRAM CROSBY, Norwich, Conn., or of the undersigned.
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BANKRUPTCY SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public auction, by E. H. LUDLOW & CO., auctioneers, at the Merchants' Exchange, in the City of New-York, No. 111 Broadway, on FRIDAY, the 17th of November, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, all the property formerly of the Manhattan Engraving Company, bankrupt, that has come to the hands of the undersigned. The above property will be sold in gross. This sale will not include the private property of persons in which was in the custody of said Company. JOHN SEDGWICK, Assignee,
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NEW-YORK, Nov. 1, 1871.

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AUCTION NOTICE.—AUGUST MARTENS, Auctioneer, will sell on THIS DAY, Thursday, at No. 36 West 15th-st., near 5th-av., at 10½ o'clock, parlor suites, piano-forte, chamber, dining furniture, china-ware, glass-ware, &c.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of MARK T. SEYMOUR, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Before John Fitch, Register.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of Mark T. Seymour, of New-York City, in the County of New-York, and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York City, the 30th day of September, A. D. 1871.
S. T. CANNON, Assignee.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JOSEPH BERNARD, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—No. 8,085.—Before James F. Dwight, Register.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Joseph Bernard, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York the 2d day of September, A. D. 1871.
NATHAN VAN BEIL, Assignee,
n1-law3w Th* No. 38 Broadway.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of New-Jersey.—In the matter of ARCHIBALD THOMAS, bankrupt.—The said bankrupt having applied to the Court for a discharge from his debts, by order of the Court, notice is hereby given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, to appear on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., before the said Court, at Trenton, N. J., and show cause why a discharge should not be granted to the said bankrupt. R. C. BELVILLE, Clerk.

REWARDS.

$100 REWARD.
UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW-YORK, Nov. 9, 1871.
One hundred dollars reward will be paid at this office for information on which the arrest and conviction may be procured of any persons who were present aiding and abetting in the rescue of Owen Geoghegan from the custody of United States Deputy Marshal Dowley, on the night of Nov. 6, near the corner of 15th-st. and Avenue B, New-York City.
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COLORADO, Capt. T. F. FREEMAN...Dec. 6, at 1 P. M.
WISCONSIN, Capt. T. W. FREEMAN, Dec. 13, at 7½ A. M.
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Broadway, New-York, Nov. 3, 1871.—In pursuance of a requisition from the Superintendent of the Insurance Department of the State of New-York, dated Nov. 2, 1871, the stockholders of the Mercantile Fire Insurance Company of the City of New-York are required to pay the sum of $20,000 in cash, being 20 per cent. on the capital stock, at the office of said Company, No. 166 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 2d day of December, 1871, to make good the deficiency of the capital impaired by reason of the Chicago fire.
In case of failure to pay the said assessment at or before the time above named, your stock will be reduced 20 per cent. of its par value.
WM. A. ANDERSON, President.
C. W. PARMELEE, Secretary.
By order of the Board of Directors, the transfer-books of this Company are closed until Dec. 4, 1871.
C. W. PARMELEE, Secretary.

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SIX PER CENT. INTEREST on $5 to $5,000.
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CIRCULAR.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY.
BOSTON, Nov. 15, 1871.
During the past five years the amount of freight carried over the road has more than doubled, the amount carried during the year ending May 31, 1871, having been.....1,105,875 tons,
and during the year ending May 31, 1866.. 533,451 tons.
Increase.....572,424 tons.
The passenger business also shows an average increase, during the last five years, of about one-third over the previous five years.
During this period the additions to our means for doing this greatly augmented business have not kept pace with the growth of the business itself, and our present facilities are not, by any means, adequate to the profitable and economical transaction of such an extended and still increasing traffic, and as a consequence, we have been compelled to pay large sums for the use of cars and motive power to build a machine-shop and round-house at Jackson, and also to lay a large amount of track and about seventeen miles of sidings. Extensive additions to the power and rolling stock have already been made, but a very much larger amount is indispensable.
The vast amount of business over that portion of the road lying between Detroit and Jackson—a distance of seventy-six miles—rendered it almost impossible to keep the track in proper running condition; and in order to obviate this difficulty it became absolutely necessary that, for the entire track, steel rails should be substituted for the iron rails—experience having proved this to be true economy on account of their much greater durability, although the original cost is somewhat larger. Consequently contracts have been made for the requisite amount of steel rails to effect this change, about sixty miles of which have already been laid.
In order to meet these necessities and to provide means for the payment of improvements and additions already made and which are to be made, and for carrying on with profit and economy the great and constantly growing business of the road, the Directors have deemed it advisable, and for the advantage of the stockholders, to make an addition of twenty-six thousand (26,000) shares to the Capital Stock, and to offer them for sale, at par, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on the 18th day of November, inst., in the ratio of one new share for every six shares held by each stockholder at that time, payable one-third, Dec. 15, 1871; Jan. 15, and Feb. 15, 1872, respectively, with interest from the 1st of December, at the rate of seven per cent. per annum.
Payments made in full on the 1st of December will obviate any adjustment of interest, as the new stock will participate in the earnings of the road on and after that date.
Six rights will be entitled to one new share.
Stockholders are requested to notify the Treasurer, on or before the 10th day of December next, whether or not they will take the number of shares to which they are, respectively, entitled, and all shares not subscribed for by that day will be at the disposal of the Directors.
Notices received from foreign shareholders by the 30th of December will entitle them to their quota of the new stock.
The new stock will not be entitled to the next dividend. JAMES F. JOY, President.
ISAAC LIVERMORE, Treasurer.

THE NASSAU BANK, NEW-YORK, Nov. 14, 1871.
AT AN ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Directors and Inspectors, held at the banking rooms this day, the following were unanimously elected:

DIRECTORS.

H. BLYDENBURGH,	CHAS. T. RAYNOLDS,
C. T. CROMWELL,	ENOS RICHARDSON,
WILLIAM E. DEAN,	L. A. ROBERTSON,
CHAS. G. HARMER,	AUGUSTINE SMITH,
WILSON G. HUNT,	HENRY SUYDAM.
DAVID JONES.	EDMUND THOMPSON,
WILLIAM MILES,	SALEM H. WALES,
FRANCIS M. HARRIS.	

Inspectors of next Election.—John Q. Jones, John P. Hayes, Charles L. Young.
At a subsequent meeting of the Board Francis M. Harris, Esq., was re-elected President, and Augustine Smith, Esq., Vice-President.
W. H. ROGERS, Cashier.

ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE Scrip of all issues wanted by WM. C. GILMAN, No. 46 Pine-st., corner William-st.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY.—NILSSON AS MIGNON.
FRIDAY EVENING, Nov. 17, at 8,
TWELFTH SUBSCRIPTION NIGHT OF THE STRAKOSCH ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.
First time in New-York of
MIGNON.
Grand Opera, in four acts. Music by Ambroise Thomas. Words by M. M. Carre and Barbier.
Mlle. CHRISTINA NILSSON.....as.....MIGNON
Mlle. LEON DUVAL, Mlle. RONCONI.
M. CAPOUL, M. JAMET, M. LYALL, Signor COLETTI.
MAX MARETZEK, Musical Director and Conductor
New scenery by Messrs. Lewis and Dufour. New costumes from Mr. A. Harris, London; also, Mme. Macchi and M. Petrilli, of New-York. New properties by Signor Albisi, &c.
GRAND CHORUS, ORCHESTRA, BALLET.
Stage Manager.....Signor Barili
Maitre d'Ballet.....M. Von Hamme
On SATURDAY, Nov. 18, at 1½ P. M., (doors open at 12½,)
FOURTH NILSSON MATINEE—LA TRAVIATA.
Seats now at the Academy of Music, 14th-st.
MONDAY, Nov. 20, MIGNON, (second time.)
Steinway's pianos are used by the Strakosch Opera Company.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
TWELFTH WEEK
AND CONTINUED SUCCESS OF
G. L. FOX'S
CELEBRATED SPECTACULAR PANTOMIME,
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presented EVERY EVENING and Matinees WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, with a full corps of European artists.
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ADELE PAGLIERI, MARIETTA MONONDO,
CLEMENCE ALEXANDROWA,
THE ZIG-ZAGS,
YOUNG ADONIS and LITTLE VENUS,
and the KIRALFY TROUPE OF HUNGARIAN ARTISTS.
THURSDAY, Nov. 16,
COMPLIMENTARY MATINEE BENEFIT,
Tendered by the profession to EPH HORN.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
HOUSES CROWDED TO OVERFLOWING.
EVERY EVENING and SATURDAY MATINEE, to witness
MR. SOTHERN
in Tom Taylor's comedy of
OUR AMERICAN COUSIN
SUPPORTED BY A POWERFUL CAST.
Performance commences at 8 o'clock precisely.

AT WOOD'S MUSEUM.
TODAY at 2 P. M. } Burlesque of MASANIELLO, preceded by drama of the GOLDEN FARMER.
THIS EVENING at 8 O'CLOCK. } Positively last week of MAST

THE CITY OF BROOKLYN.

WATER BOARD EXPENDITURES.

Receipts and Expenditure of the Department—Mr. Fowler's List of the Employes.

On the authority of Mr. WILLIAM A. FOWLER, the President of the Water and Sewerage Commissioners, a statement has been given to the public of the expenditures of that Board. It must be observed, however, that figures and aggregates are not what the people or the Committee of Investigation want. They most desire to know who are the employes and sinecurists, and to what extent the pay-roll was packed just preceding the election. This information will not be given except upon compulsion. The statement hereunto appended must also be regarded as imperfect and unsatisfactory in another respect. It is *ex parte*. When the committees of citizens come to examine into the facts they will undoubtedly make a different exhibit, and the accounts which they investigate cannot be whitewashed, as were the New-York Controller's accounts by Messrs. ASTOR, ROBERTS & Co. The statement, as presented by Mr. FOWLER, is as follows:

Water rates of 1870	$656,058 01
Water rates of 1871, from Jan. 1 to Oct. 31	781,187 29

The disbursements in 1871 for the period above named were as follows:

For tapping mains	$6,788 35
For advertising arrears	1,945 60
Paid into City Treasury	770,680 94
Balance on hand	1,762 40
Total	$781,187 29

This shows that the Water Board manage to keep their account with the city very nearly square. Mr. FOWLER says, however, that the money received is deposited in the City Treasury, except the balance above mentioned. It is estimated that in November and December there will be paid $65,000 from water rates, which will make a balance in favor of the Department of about $40,000.

In 1870 there were drawn against the working capital of $2,000,000 for sewerage purposes, $1,160,866 35, and during the present year there have been drawn $641,737 16. The expenses of the Sewerage Department for the month of October were $11,823 72.

The following tables show the number of employes in the several departments and their compensation:

DEPARTMENT OF REPAIRS, &C.

Employes.	Expenses.
2 Inspectors, per day each	$3 00
4 Inspectors, for cleaning sewers, per day, each	3 00
2 Assistant Inspectors, per day, each	2 50
6 Foremen, per day, each, from $2 50 to	3 00
15 Sewermen, per day, each	2 25
20 Laborers, per day, each	2 00
6 Dippermen, per day, each	2 25
6 Drivers, per day, each	2 00
Total pay of Department for October	$6,389 00

ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT, BUILDING OF SEWERS.

Employes.	Pay.
1 Engineer, per month	$250 00
2 Assistant Engineers, per month, each	170 00
2 Clerks, per month, each	170 00
4 Draughtsmen, per month, each	120 00
4 Levellers, per month, each	85 00
9 Rodmen, per month, each	77 00
26 Inspectors of Construction, average per day	3 75
8 Inspectors to report repairs, average per day	3 75
15 Inspectors of Paving, Sewers, &c., average per day	3 75
Total expenses for October	$7,145 46

REPAVING ACCOUNT FOR OCTOBER.

Items and Employes.	Expenses.
For advertising	$129 00
For labor	1,116 85
For sand	653 25
For carbs and repairs	60 95
For sand and cement	84 54
For one chief inspector, per day	6 00
For seven inspectors, per day	4 00
For five assistant inspectors, per day	2 50
For two rodmen, per month	75 00
For one clerk, per month	100 00
For leveller	95 00
For head engineer on paving, per month	207 00
Total, about	$4,000 00

The following is the construction account for October last:

Number of employes.	Expenses.
1 Engineer	$230 00
1 Officer of Clerk	100 00
1 Chief Clerk, per month	250 00
1 Clerk	200 00
1 Messenger	60 00
1 Commissioner's Clerk	50 00
1 Draughtsman	125 00
1 Water Clerk	125 00
1 Superintendent Pipe-yard	115 00
2 Foremen Pipe-yard, $115 each	230 00
1 Meters Clerk	113 00
1 Assistant Meter Clerk	41 00
1 Messenger	60 00
1 Machinist	105 00
1 Carpenter	124 00
1 Assistant Carpenter	93 00
1 Blacksmith	93 00
2 Helpers, each	77 00
7 Caulkers, each per day	3 00
35 Laborers, each per day	2 00
2 Machinist Laborers, each per day	2 00
1 Carman, (furnishes his own horse and cart,) per day	4 00
1 Watchman, per day	2 50
1 Carman, per day	3 00
20 Inspectors of Connections, per month	93 00
2 Inspectors of Pipes, per month	108 00

The October pay-roll presents the following facts:

Employes.	Amounts.
3 Commissioners	$1,200 00
1 Secretary	400 00
1 Chief Engineer, proportional salary on water account	166 00
Water Purveyor	290 00
Registrar	290 00
Assistant Registrar	180 00
Meter and Map Clerk	150 00
Arrear Clerk	93 00
11 Bill Clerks, each $100	1,100 00
2 Sales and Redemption Clerks, each $108	216 00
1 Permit Clerk	72 00
1 Draughtsman	25 00
1 Messenger	70 00
Accountant	125 00
Keeper, Prospect Reservoir	58 00
Watchman, Prospect Reservoir	60 00
Keeper, Kidgewood Reservoir	45 00
Keeper, Jamaica Pond	50 00
Keeper, Hempstead Ponds	83 00
Two Water Inspectors, $3 per day each	186 00
Two Meter Inspectors, $3 per day each	186 00
Ridgewood Engine-house, paid to Chief Engineer for expenses for October	2,625 89
Engineer's expenses at Prospect Engine-house	370 06
Total	$8,019 55

Mr. FOWLER states that he knows of no sinecure connected with the Water Department. He has the sole appointing power and whenever he finds a man on the roll for whom there is no employment he discharges him.

The Committee of Citizens who are about to investigate those accounts of the Water Board will do well to compare the returns and pay-roll for October with those for the other months of the year, and it may also be well to examine the names on the books of the Water Board. Where there is so much smoke there must be some fire, and prominent citizens would not declare that there were sinecure positions on the Water Board unless they were pretty sure of their men.

The Park Commissioners' Expenditures.

The Park Commissioners' expenses for the month of October were $70,734 27, and the receipts were $131,411 04, of which $131,156 04 was the balance on hand on the 1st ult. The details of expenditures are as follows:

Constructions on Prospect Park	$54,962 41
Constructions on Washington Park	3,499 16
Constructions on Tompkins Park	1,410 17
Constructions east side of Sands-street	1,848 09
Constructions on Sackett-street	1,150 92
Constructions on Douglass-street	57 27
Constructions on Degraw-street	114 31
Constructions on Parade-ground	129 80
Fifteenth-street widening	705 48
Mintenance of Prospect Park	6,156 08
Maintenance of Washington Park	440 23
Maintenance of Carroll Park	116 72
Maintenance of City Park	115 14
Maintenanc of City Hall	20 65
Maintenance of Tompkins Park	107 04

Messrs. Wm. B. Leonard, S. B. Chittenden, Ambrose Snow, John Norris, H. Hurtz and E. H. Durvea presented the Park seven specimens of deer, which had been provided for in the Park.

Meeting of the Citizens' Reform Committee.

An adjourned meeting of the Citizens' Reform Committee was held last evening, at No. 185 Montague-street, which has been hired for the purposes of this Committee. It is commodious, and in every respect suitable for the business to which it is to be devoted, having apartments which may be used as subcommittee rooms and for other purposes. The officers of the Committee held an executive session prior to the regular meeting, and discussed the availability of the gentlemen whose names were proposed as additional members of the Committee. Soon after 8 o'clock Mr. FRANKLIN WOODRUFF, the Chairman, called the meeting to order, and the roll was called, and twenty-five members were found to be present.

The Legislative Committee, Mr. GOODRICH Chairman, reported that they had carried a motion to be inserted in the papers stating that a new charter would be considered, and asking that suggestions be made to them.

Mr. WHITLOCK, from the Executive Committee, reported that they had secured the present building for the use of the organization at a rent of $250 per month, with the understanding that they would vacate on fifteen days' notice. Gas-fixtures were put in and the furniture was hired, and the whole arrangements had been made since morning. They also recommended LUDIVOC BENNETT and A. J. FERRY as members of the organization. The report of the Committee was accepted.

The Committee on City Canvass of the Votes stated that the Aldermen had decided not to take final action until to-morrow.

Mr. REEVE, from the other Committee, stated that they had attended the canvass of the votes by the Supervisors. When they came to the Sixth Ward a protest was made against the canvass of the First District. After some debate the question was evaded by a motion to adjourn, and whenever a case of the disease occurs, it is immediately sent to the Hospital.

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A mass-meeting of the friends of reform and of honest elections, to protest against the frauds of the recent election, will be held in Brooklyn Hall, Myrtle-avenue, near Fulton-street, this evening. Mayor KALBFLEISCH will preside, and Gen. ROURKE, O'DONOVAN ROSSA, Judge GARNISON, W. E. ROBINSON, Col. JOHNSTONE, Mr. DAVIS and others will address the meeting. CHARLES O'CONOR and Gen. SIGEL have been invited, and are expected to be present.

rv R. Jones, Andrew Fitzgerald, H. D. Polhemus, H. W. Slocum, A. L. Ormsbee, Daniel Chauncey, Charles Lowry, E. S. Sanford, Henry Farrington, Abraham Late, Henry Sanger, L. J. D. Bardenbers, Harman K. Koop, James B. Hodgskin, Ludwig Sanler, Henry Everding, A. M. White, John Halsey, Marvin Cross.

Mr. DRIGGS objected to the reference because he wanted some steps taken to incorporate the Committee appointed at the Rink meeting with this organization. That Committee of Fifty was appointed first, and asserted that they had a prior claim.

Mr. WHITLOCK said that he understood that the Committee of Fifty was waiting for an invitation to consolidate. He also learned that unless the whole number of fifty was admitted to this Committee no consolidation could be effected. The Executive Committee, therefore, decided to take no further action.

Mr. DRIGGS said that that being the case he would withdraw his proposition.

The Committee then went into executive session on motion of Mr. WHITING, for the purpose of taking action on the names presented and to devise plans for carrying out the instructions of the meeting which called them into power.

The Committees of Investigation.

There are now two Committees of Investigation into frauds in the City of Brooklyn, and if each are earnest and energetic, something important will result from their labors. The Committee of which Mr. SAMUEL HUTCHINSON is Chairman, and which was appointed by the meeting held at the Rink about two weeks ago, over which Mr. EDWD. T. BACKHOUSE was President, have thus far done nothing. It is claimed that had they organized immediately after their appointment they could have brought to light facts sufficient to have given the public such an intelligent view of the condition of affairs as would have changed the opinions of many taxpayers who, in ignorance of these facts, went to the polls on election day and voted the straight Democratic ticket. Valuable time has been lost, and it is said that the Committee would have made no attempt at organization had not the mass-meeting at the Academy of Music, last Friday evening, roused them into action.

Some of the members have claimed that they had the right, by priority of appointment, to insist that the two Committees should be consolidated, and that both should work together for the same object. An informal attempt at consolidation has been made, but it is found that the Hutchinson Committee will listen to no proposition which does not incorporate them as a body and without question with the Committee of which Mr. WOODRUFF is Chairman. As the number of this Committee is arbitrarily fixed at seventy-five by the by-laws which they have adopted, and as the original number was forty, such a proposition could not be entertained.

The duties of the two Committees are entirely distinct. That over which Mr. HUTCHINSON presides was directed to investigate frauds in the disbursement of the public moneys, and was called into being in consequence of the declarations of several persons that rascalities of great magnitude could be distinctly traced to the public officials. The duty of the Committee over which Mr. WOODRUFF presides, is to investigate frauds in the ballot, &c., and the Committee was created by the mass-meeting held to protest against the astounding irregularities which were perpetrated at the late election. Neither Committee has any right to go beyond the powers which were delegated to them, therefore consolidation is considered impracticable as it is now impossible.

There is work enough for both Committees, acting independently as they must, and the public will be well satisfied if each discharges the duty assigned them, promptly, fearlessly and thoroughly.

As yet nothing has been done by the Committee over which Mr. HUTCHINSON presides except to organize and appoint subcommittees. On the contrary, the Citizens' Reform Committee have been most active in the discharge of their duties. The meeting, preliminary to the mass-meeting at the Academy, appointed a committee of five, with instructions to present evidence of fraud to the Legislature when it meets, will have an enactment prepared which will give satisfaction to all friends of Reform in the administration of the affairs of the city.

Determined Suicide of a Lunatic.

Yesterday about noon, LAFAYETTE FISK, residing at No. 5 Hicks-street, and about forty years of age, committed suicide in a most determined manner. Not many years ago he was a patient in the Flatbush Lunatic Asylum, but was released and was employed as conductor on the Green-Wood line of cars. For the last few days he exhibited symptoms of aberration of mind, and yesterday morning appeared violent. His wife dressed herself to go out when FISK followed, but failing to overtake her, he returned to his room, and procuring a knife, stabbed himself in the neck. Then taking a pistol, he shot himself in the breast, and then rushed to the roof of the house, which is four stories high, and leaped to the pavement, falling upon his head, crushing the skull and causing instant death. The first knowledge his wife had of the dreadful occurrence was when she returned home a few hours later. Mr. FISK was born in Maine, and had been married some eighteen years. He was formerly in prosperous circumstances, but lost a large fortune by shipwreck, and the attendant exposures prostrated him, from the effects of which he never entirely recovered.

The County Canvass.

The Board of Supervisors met as county canvassers again yesterday afternoon and examined the returns of election. They were about to admit the returns of the First Election District of the Sixth Ward—in which grave irregularities exist—but were deterred by a protest from CHANCY M. FELT, which recites the allegations already set forth: That the inspectors, prior to opening the polls, deposited in the boxes 500 ballots and altered the poll-lists accordingly. After the reception of this protest the county canvassers adjourned until to-day.

The Charity Carnival—Fair in Aid of the Orphan Asylum.

The charity carnival which was opened on Tuesday evening at the Academy of Music, still continues to be very attractive. The object of this grand fair or carnival, is to provide funds for the completion of a new orphan asylum building. The foundation stone was laid in December, 1870. Since then it has rapidly advanced, and will probably be ready for occupation by next April. The total cost will be $210,000, $150,000 of which has already been collected, and the Committee hope to make up the deficit of $60,000 from the proceeds of the Fair. Throughout the day the Academy was thronged with the *élite* of the city, and toward evening the crowd increased.

The most novel feature of the Fair is the country store, where everything is sold that can be found in a typical New-England store. Apples, quinces, bacon, tongue, flour, bottled ale, culinary utensils and crockery, indeed, everything that can be thought of will be found in Mrs. FIELD'S category. In one corner of the hall a temporary case has been constructed, and there dwells the fortune-teller, a sprightly maiden attired in a splendid costume, and whose innocent stories are sure to be true. Elsewhere in the hall are a score of other stands adorned with every variety of fancy articles, many of them costly and the majority substantial. Contributions consisting of various articles are pouring in, and already the Committee have received in donations over $6,000. The Fair will close on Saturday evening. On some evening next week it is proposed to give an amateur theatrical entertainment in the Academy for the same object.

Crushed to Death by Machinery.

Yesterday morning ROBERT CROOKS, proprietor of the whiting manufactory at the corner of North First and Third streets, E. D., was instantly killed by being crushed in the machinery. He was adjusting a belt on a pulley, and had his clothes caught on the shaft, which whirled him around so that his head and feet were dashed against the beams at every revolution. Both feet were almost severed from the ankles. Mr. CROOKS was fifty-five years of age, and resided with his family at the corner of Washington-avenue and Dean-street.

Brief Items.

About 6 o'clock last evening the residence of G. H. WEBDON, No. 108 Gates-avenue, was entered by sneak thieves, who stole about $200 worth of jewelry.

Patrolman MICHAEL CRANE, of the Fourth Precinct, was yesterday dismissed the force for peddling tickets at the last election, and assisting in the canvass of the returns.

The residence of WILLIAM B. JONES, No. 115 Stanhope-street, was entered during the evening, and robbed of various articles of clothing. The family are absent in the country.

During the storm on Tuesday night the lime-shed of JOHN L. LYONS, at the foot of Twenty-fifth-street, was totally destroyed, with its contents, valued at $2,000. The fire was caused by the slaking of the lime by the water which leaked through the roof.

There have been no cases of small-pox reported to the Health Officer during the past three days, and the most energetic measures are being taken for its suppression. All the pupils in the public schools have been vaccinated,

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—A circular to Paymasters of the army has been issued by Paymaster-General Brice, directing that hereafter they shall issue no checks against their official deposits except in pursuance of the law and Treasury regulations, as follows: First, to the payment of authorized vouchers; second, for transferring credits from one to another Pay-master in the same depository; third, to draw money for the payment of troops; fourth, in exchange for money when the deposit is at a distant point, and the money needed for present public disbursement. In all cases a brief statement on the face or back of the checks should show the purpose for which they are issued.

Commander J. W. Shirk has been detached from service in the Navy Department, and ordered as Assistant Hydrographer in the Hydrographic Office. Clarence E. Black has been appointed Assistant Surgeon in the navy.

[Advertisement.]

A.—The Fall styles in silk hats are marvels of beauty. KNOX, the veteran hatter, corner of Broadway and Fulton-street, has them in all the perfection of style and beauty. Call and examine them before buying elsewhere.

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

FOR EUROPE.

City of Washington	Nov. 16.	N. Y.	Liverpool.
Franklin	Nov. 16.	N. Y.	Stettin.
Europa	Nov. 18.	N. Y.	Glasgow.
City of New-York	Nov. 18.	N. Y.	Liverpool.
The Queen	Nov. 18.	N. Y.	Liverpool.
Batavia	Nov. 18.	N. Y.	Liverpool.
Washington	Nov. 18.	N. Y.	Havre.

FOR HAVANA, &C.

Missouri	Nov. 16.	N. Y.	Havana.
Tybee	Nov. 18.	N. Y.	San Domingo.

Closing of Foreign Mails at Post-Office.

THURSDAY.

For Europe, via Queenstown, by the *City of Washington*, at 6½ A. M.....For Germany, via Stettin, by the *Franklin*, at —— A. M.....For Germany, via Bremen, by the *Bremen*, at 12 M.....For Havana, Nassau and the West Indies, by the *Missouri*, at 2 P. M.

Closing of Domestic Mails.

North, Poughkeepsie Way	5 A. M.; 2 P. M.
North, through via H. R. R. R. and New-York Central	5 A. M.; 4:00, 9 P. M.
North Way, via Harlem R. R.	5 A. M.; 1:30 P. M.
East, via New-Haven	5 A. M.; 1:30, 6 P. M.
East, via Newport	4 P. M.
East, via Haven Way	2:30 P. M.
East, Fall River, rail	6 P. M.
South, Through	7 A. M.; 7:30 P. M.
Philadelphia Way	5 A. M.; 3:00 P. M.
West Mail, through to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Columbus, Chicago, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Salt Lake and Denver	7 A. M.; 3:00 P. M.
West Mail, through to Cleveland, Toledo, and by A. and G. Western R. R. to Franklin and Meadville, Penn., &c.	5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M

Passengers Sailed.

NOV. 15—*In steam-ship Java, for Liverpool.*—Mrs. Estella Gordon, Mrs. Warren, Miss E. J. Edwards, Rev. J. H. Ills, Bishop of Lichfield, Rev. J. R. Selwyn, Wm. B. Edwards, M. D. Edwards, Wm. Peter, Mr. Buchardt, J. F. Isaacson, F. Chappell, J. Holgate, Alex. Todd, Chas. Brown, J. H. Hawley, J. Ewart, Mr. and Mrs. R. McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Attwell, Mrs. Ward and maid, Miss A. P. Ward, Mme. Calderon, Miss Addison and servant, Mr. and Mrs. Alt, 2 children and maid, Dr. S. B. Beresford, Mrs. M. S. Beresford, Miss M. J. Beresford, Miss F. K. H. Beresford, E. Mayer, John Mayer, Henry Wm. Mayer, J. H. Harbeck, Jr., Mrs. C. Montgomery, C. F. Haviland, Albert Laidley, W. J. Harrison, Rev. H. P. Bainbridge, A. B. Hitchcock, Duke and Duchess Della Torre, 3 infants and 3 servants, T. Springman, Mr. and Mrs. F. Shonnard, child and servant, Mr. Randall, Samuel Ward, Benjamin Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. G. Jupp, S. Russell Whitney, Mr. Colby, C. W. Foster, R. G. Skinner, T. H. Taylor, T. F. Hiles, R. McMaster, H. G. Hubert, D. F. Cooper, T. Hope, Thos. E. Harrison, H. M. Keith and servant, John D. Andria, W. Martin, Mrs. Story, John Welsh, H. J. Johnson.

In steam-ship Henry Chauncey, for Aspinwall—For San Francisco—V. N. Lowerce, Wm. R. Bliss, F. L. Olmsted, Henry Goetz, Mrs. Hannah Bush, Miss Alice Taylor, Mrs. Eliza Brady, John E. Underwood and wife, H. P. Gregory, Dr. F. Robinson, Miss Camen Sutter, Victoria More, Margaret Cavanagh, J. R. Boyd, Mrs. Mary Carroll, W. Adams, Cyrus B. Bobst, Jacob Bernhardt, W. S. Reynolds and wife, H. Sansborn, wife and infant, Miss E. Pratt, J. P. Dougherty, wife and child, John Medarey, A. Bosquet and wife, Mrs. E. E. Sutherland and infant, Anna Maria Settorn and child, S. Lichtenstein, H. Cone. For Aspinwall—Mrs. Stewart, A. L. Baptista and wife, A. H. Erwin, Mrs. Ella F. Whitney, August Stunz, David H. Dorall, Jacob Naar, Ebenezer Bassett and sister, M. Valenzula, Washington Booth, Thomas Punes, B. Castenada, wife and daughter, Dr. J. M. Sanford and wife, Capt. E. Jones, James Hinpins, Amos Henriques, M. Oviche, wife, 2 children and infant, M. M. de Zeaza, Miss Carrie Lescraft, J. D. Bishop, H. Moore, Pedro Lynn, Thos. J. Agnew, Henry Hind and wife, D. B. Lovra, J. A. Boca, C. A. Van Boppelin, M. Ohlmayer, C. Chisholm, Mrs. Iry, Geo. P. Barnard.

NOV. 15—*In steam-ship Wyoming, for Liverpool.*—Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crook, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wade 3 children and nurse, Mr. and Mrs. James O. and Miss Sheldon, child and nurse, Mr. Robert Tomes and servant, Hon. Wm. and Mrs. Kelly, Miss Kelly, Miss Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Chauvet and child, T. P. Garden, H. T. Callaghan, James P. Blake, W. B. Sage, Misses E. and A. Sage, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Robert Kelly, Jr., C. Townsend, Ex-Gov. Page, Miss Reynolds, Mrs. Catharine Bloomer, Mr. and Mrs. Lenghan.

In steam-ship Leo, for Savannah.—Mrs. Beckwith and son, Miss Broughkemba, Mr. L. M. Lewis and wife, Miss C. M. Lewis, Miss Mary M. Lewis, Miss Bessie Lewis, Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Johnson, Robert M. Lewis, L. L. Seaman, Capt. Austin, Miss Mary Hart, Miss S. M. Landon, Capt. Chase and wife, Wm. Maddocks, H. A. Babbitt, H. L. Tuppel and wife, J. D. Anson, W. H. P. Beach, Miss M. W. Woodward, N. A. Boynton and wife, L. V. Godine, M. Moseley, R. N. Swift, G. L. Appleton, wife and child, Mrs. Wakefield, and 15 steerage.

Passengers Arrived.

NOV. 15—*In steam-ship Cuba, from Liverpool.*—Mr. Russell, Miss Wood, J. M. Matthews, J. M. Matthews, Jr., Miss Lowe and maid, Mr. Siegman, David Cohen, B. Cohen, Mrs. Cohen and child, Miss Lydia Cohen, Miss Martha Cohen, Miss Emma Cohen, Miss Emma Siegman, J. H. Hurlbert, Jno. W. Nystrom, J. G. Burnel, Sam'l Welter, J. Travano, J. Biddle and lady, Miss Terry and children, J. Nicholson, Andrew Low, R. Ray, H. Littlefield, Miss Hay, Miss Littlefield, Ellis Yarnall, J. Anderson, J. M. Sanger, Mr. Bustamenti, Mrs. Turnbull and daughter, G. W. McLanahan and lady, Rev. H. McKinn, Thomas Henning, Mr. Turnbull, J. W. Wolcott and lady, Mrs. Bloomfield Moore, Miss Bloomfield Moore, J. T. Glasco, Mrs. Havemeyer, Miss Elder, Miss Hicks and maid, R. C. Goodman, H. V. Havemeyer, C. H. Scupp, H. F. Brandy, J. W. Cutting, G. Teal, W. Wilkinson, C. Lee Treece, Mr. O'Brien, Thomas Wilkinson, Mr. Walcott's maid, A. W. Hooper, Mrs. Hatch, J. M. Donnelly, Rev. J. Irvin, J. H. Tye, Mrs. Mannington, W. E. Brand, Mr. Loardeler, J. A. Post, Mrs. W. E. Bowen, Miss Bowen, Miss Bowen, Master Bell, Stanton Blake, H. S. Blake, Gen. Townsend, Mrs. H. Townsend, Miss Townsend, Mr. Townsend, Jr., Mr. Townsend's nurse and child, L. Duncan, B. F. Hiles and lady, Charles Adams, Mrs. and Miss Crocker, Miss Havemeyer, Miss H. Elder, Miss Mathews, Hugh Davids, Mrs. Hugh Davids, Miss Hugh Davids, R. Goodman, Jr., Dr. W. S. Ely, Mr. Ryle and boy, Joseph Haswell, Mr. Seeker and lady, child and infant, Mrs. H. Townsend's maid, Mrs. B. Cohen's maid, Mr. Pegg and lady, J. J. Mahoney, Mr. Hall and lady, T. Rodd, Mrs. Snood and child, Mrs. B. Moore's maid, Mrs. Turnbull's maid, Miss Tappan, Geo. A. Crocker, Miss Coventry, Mrs. Bell, Miss Bell, Mr. Forbes and lady, J. J. Coolidge and lady, G. D. Gilbert, Mr. Townsend, Jr., Master Townsend, G. G. Habbord, R. W. Woollcott, Mr. McKinn.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises.....6:48 | Sun sets.....4:41 | Moon sets..8:35

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook..10:57 | Gov. Island..11:45 | Hell Gate..1:07

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK....WEDNESDAY, Nov. 15.

Cleared.

Steam-ships Titian, (Br.,) Buchanan, Sidney, C. B., International Coal and Railway Co.; Weybosset, Bulger, New-Orleans, C. H. Mallory & Co.; Wyanoke, Browne, Norfolk, &c., Old Dominion Steam-ship Co.; Ann Eliza, Richards, Philadelphia, Wm. P. Clyde & Co.; E. C. Biddle, McCue, Philadelphia; Wm. C. Pierrepont, Shropshire, Philadelphia, A. Abbott; Norwich, Hines, Salem, Murray, Ferris & Co.; Henry Chauncey, Gray, Aspinwall, Pacific Mail Steam-ship Co.; Vulcan, Wilcox, Philadelphia; Fannie, Fenton, Philadelphia.

Ships Excelsior, Pendleton, Liverpool, Samuel Thompson's Nephew; Jessore, (Br.,) McLellan, Havre, Snow & Burgess; Sea Serpent, White, San Francisco, Sutton & Co.; Castilla, Robinson, New-Orleans, R. H. Drummond & Co.; Tyro, (Br.,) Baker, Bremen, Boyd & Hincken.

Barks Annie Ada, (Br.,) Croon, Bilboa, Boyd & Hincken; E. Schultz, Russell, Aspinwall, S. L. Merchant & Co.; Brothers, Long, Gibraltar, &c., Sonneborn, Dreyfus & Co.

Brigs Lizzie Zittlosen (new,) Dow, Hamburg, John Zittlosen; Morning Light, Dill, Demerara, L. W. & P. Armstrong; Excelsior, (Br.,) Mayor, Hamilton, (Bermuda,) Duncan McColl; Flora, (Ger.,) Hansen, Rio Grande do Sul, Oelrichs & Co.

Schrs. T. T. McLellan, Fair, Barbados, H. Trowbridge's Son; Menaway, Dissoway, Baltimore; S. C. Noyes, Bradley, Mayaguez, P. R.; Weubers; Pioneer, (Br.,) Miller, Moncton and Parrsboro, D. R. De Wolf & Co.; A. H. Hodgman, Eaton, Boston; Uncas, Babcock, New-Haven; Evelyn, Burger, Stamford; Sallie Burton, Palmer, Stamford.

Arrived.

Steam-ship Cuba, (Br.,) Moodie, Liverpool Nov. 4, and Queenstown 5th, with mdse. and 133 passengers to Chas. G. Francklyn. Nov. 6, lat. 51 04, lon. 15 25, exchanged flags with steam-ship Algeria, hence for Liverpool; 12th, lat. 44 07, lon. 56 24, passed a brig-rigged steamer bound E.; 13th, lat. 42 40, lon. 62 16, passed a German steamer bound E.

Steam-ship Magnolia, Palmer, Savannah Nov. 11, with mdse. and passengers to W. R. Garrison. Had strong N. W. winds till the night of 13th inst.; then N. and N. E. gales; 14th, at 5 P. M., sighted Sandy Hook light, but was forced to lay to 12 hours during the heavy N. E. storm.

Steam-ship Arragon, (Br.,) Western, Bristol Oct. 28, with mdse. and 80 passengers to E. E. Morgan's Sons. Has had strong westerly gales the entire passage.

Steam-ship Huntsville, Crowell, Savannah, Nov. 11 with mdse. and passengers to R. Lowden. At 4 o'clock this P. M. passed a brig ashore at Long Branch, N. J., with everything standing, apparently just gone on; could not ascertain the name.

Steam-ship Ocean Queen, Jones, Aspinwall, Nov. 3 and Kingston, Jam., 7th with mdse. and 200 passengers to Pacific Mail Steam-ship Co.

Steam-ship Saratoga, Couch, Richmond, City Point and Norfolk, with mdse. and passengers to Old Dominion Steam-ship Co.

Steam-ship Ashland, Moore, Fernandina Nov. 11, with mdse. and passengers to James Hand.

Bark Jane Sprots, (of Liverpool,) Sprott, Batavia, via Padang June 29 and St. Helena Sept. 20, with mdse. to Vernon H. Brown & Co. Has had variable weather the entire passage; passed Cape of Good Hope Aug. 29, and crossed the Equator Oct. 3 in lon. 26; Sept. 27, lat. 11 06 S., lon. 11 24, spoke ship Maitland, (Br.,) from Shanghai for London, 75 da. out; 26th, lat. 14 S., lon. 7 22, spoke ship Mantauir, (Br.,) from Bombay, for Liverpool.

Bark Beatrice, (of London,) Sheen, Singapore July 5, with mdse. to John D. Wood—vessel to Arzell & Tufts. Is anchored on the Bar.

Brig Etta M. Tucker, Tucker, Philadelphia, for Fall River.

Brig Milwaukee, Strout, Port Johnson, for Boston.

Brig George W. Chase, (of Portland,) Bacon, Galveston Oct. 31, with mdse. to Snow & Burgess.

Brig Mattano, Jarvis, St. Johns, P. R., Oct. 20, with sugar and molasses to order—vessel to Miller & Houghton. Is anchored on the Bar.

Brig Betty & Emma, (N. G.,) Rohrs, Arecebo, P. R., 23 da., with sugar and molasses to order. Is anchored on the Bar.

Schr. Humming Bird, Smith, of and from St. John, N. B., 12 da., with lumber to Palmer, Merritt & Cushman—vessel to Peter L. Nevius & Son.

Schr. E. Acquarius, Bagley, Rockland, with lime to Candee & Pressey.

Schr. Wm. H. Mitchell, Cole, Shulee, N. S., 15 da., with spiling to Snow and Richardson.

Schr. Marguerite, (Fr.,) Oliver, St. Pierre, Mart., 22 days, with sugar to H. A. Swan & Son. Has been 7 da. N. of Hatteras, with N. E. gales.

Schr. D. & E. Kelly, Kelly, Port Johnson, for Boston.

Schr. M. L. Wedmore, Ferry, Port Johnson, for New-Haven.

Schr. Empire, Baker, Port Johnson, for New-Haven.

Schr. Elisabeth B., Hogan, Port Johnson, for New-Haven.

Schr. Citizen, Upton, Port Johnson, for Providence.

Schr. Ann Eliza, Crowell, Port Johnson, for Providence.

Schr. Dresden, Mitchell, Shulee, N. S., 12 da., with spiling to Snow & Richardson.

Schr. Clara, Clark, St. George, N. B., 7 da., via Salem, with lumber to master.

Schr. S. L. Crocker, Thrasher, Providence, for Port Johnson.

Schr. Z. A. Paine, Thorndike, Eastport, with fish to John Boynton's Son & Co.

WIND—Sundown, fresh, N. W.; cloudy.

Sailed.

Steam-ships Sidonian, for Glasgow; Java, Wyoming, City of Bristol and Mima Thomas, for Liverpool; Henry Chauncey, for Aspinwall; Weybosset, for New-Orleans.

Miscellaneous.

The steam-ship Silesia, (N. G.,) Trautmann, from Hamburg, arr. 14th, reports having fresh easterly winds and fine weather the first part of passage, and strong changeable winds the latter part; Nov. 7, lat. 50 30, lon. 55 51, passed a National steamer bound E.; 9th, lat. 49 30, lon. 42 23, passed an Inman steamer bound E.; 13th, lat. 41 56, lon. 64 19, passed a Bremen steamer bound E.; same day, lat. 41 20, lon. 66 38, passed bark Jane & Elizabeth, (Br.,) bound S.; 14th, 20 miles E. from Montauk Point, passed sch. Governor Goodwin, with loss of mainmast.

By Telegraph.

BOSTON, Nov. 15.—Arr. brig Samuel Lindsey Baltimore.

A strong S. E. gale prevails here; no marine disasters yet reported.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 15.—Arr. steamers Manhattan, from New-York, and Falcon, from Baltimore, and bark Orange Grove, from Matanzas.

Sld. steamer Charleston, for New-York; barks Annie Kimball, for Liverpool, and Mendota, for Havre; brig L. L. Laune, for Liverpool; schrs. M. H. Stockham, for Philadelphia; Lily and G. B. Somer, for New-York; Dandy, for Nassau, N. P.; Equator, for the Bahamas, and Sarah Wood, for Philadelphia.

FORTRESS MONROE, Nov. 15.—Passed in, brigs Magdalen, from Arecebo; Ahota, from Hull, Eng.; James, from Halifax; Agnes Barbour, from Havana; bark Robert, from Cardiff.

Passed out, bark Volunteer, from Norfolk for Marseilles.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 14.—Arr. steam-ships Montgomery, from New-York; Tonawanda, from Philadelphia; steam-tug Shephard, from St. Marys, Ga.

Cld. steam-ship Virgo, for New-York; bark Mary G. Reed, for Havre; brigs Moses Day, for Darien; Erie, for Boston.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 15.—Arr. steamer San Salvador, from New-York.

Cld. ship Enoch Talbot, for Liverpool; brig Lizzie H. Kimball, for Fernandina; schrs. Susie J. Strout, for Fernandina, and Ada F. Ames, for Providence.

Notice to Mariners.

The sunken brig E. C. Swett lies in 7 fathoms water, directly in the track of all light-draft vessels, bound in from the South. The mainmast is some 20 feet out of the water, with maintopmast standing, foremast head at low water, 6 feet out, and all the three spars attached to the wreck by their rigging. The main light-house on Sandy Hook bears by compass from the wreck N. W. ¾ W., distant 4¾ miles; Highland light, S. W. by W., 4 miles; Sandy Hook beach, 2¾ miles.

JOHN MCGOWAN,
Captain Revenue Steamer Northerner.

Foreign Ports.

CALLAO, Oct. 21.—Arr. Sept. 27, American bark Almena, from Ilo; Oct. 2, American bark George & Henry, from Tome; American ship Mary Bangs, from San Francisco.

Sld. Sept. 28, American ship Norway, for Guanape; American ship Jeremiah Thompson, for do.; Sept. 29, American ship P. G. Blanchard, for Guanape; Sept. 30